



### CHERRY HARVEST

This picture was taken in the orchard of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Roberts of Hilton, N. Y., on July 8th, 1954, showing their Napoleon Cherry crop.

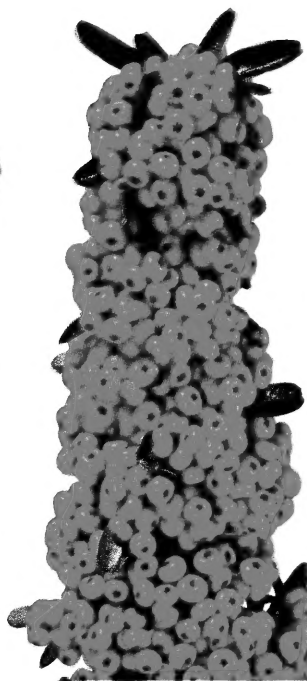
Posing top to bottom are Patricia Ann, Mary Elizabeth and Nancy Agnes Kelly, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Kelly.

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### **HYPERICUM, Hidcote**

From a famous estate in England comes this new variety. It grows into a twiggy shrub about 18 in. tall and about the same in diameter. Throughout the summer it is covered with bright yellow cup-like flowers, about 2 inches in diameter, in a grand mass display. Flowers are fragrant and appear late June, continuing until mid-October. Grows 2-3 ft. tall. **\$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.75, postpaid.**



### **PYRACANTHA, Firethorn** (Coccinea Lalandi)

A most remarkable berried shrub that retains its foliage all winter. The attractive long trusses of pure white flowers are only a prelude to the big show. An abundance of brilliant orange-scarlet berries follow the bloom and the bush becomes a "mound of flame" with the effect lasting well into the winter. Blooms in May. Grows 4-6 feet. **2-yr., 12-15 in., \$2.25 each, postpaid.**



### **ALTHEA COELESTIS**

Bright morning-glory-blue flowers, 3 inches across, pop open every day from midsummer until winter. Pretty pansy-red centers and white pistils. Fine for cutting. Fancy green leaves. Grows 4 to 5 feet tall. **18-24 in., \$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.25, postpaid.**

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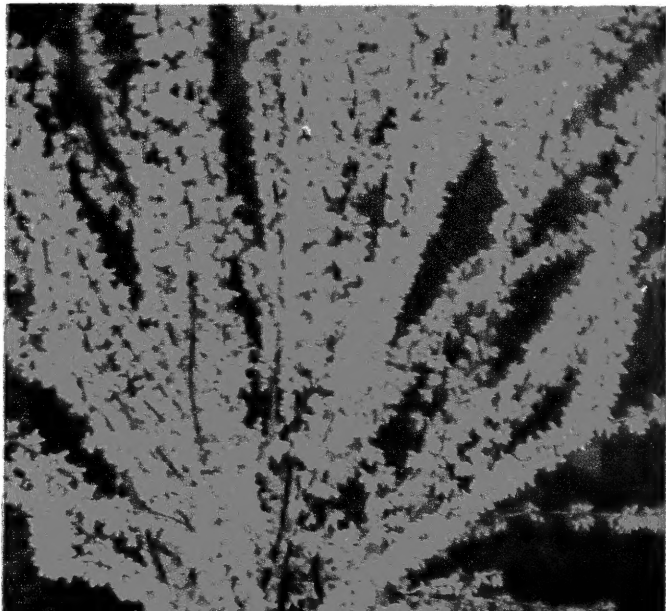
### **CARDINAL SHRUB** (Weigela Vaniceki)

Blooms spring, summer and fall. Plants set out this spring will bloom this season. Grows 6 ft. tall. Produce large trumpet-shaped flowers. **18-24 in., \$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.35. 2-3 ft., \$1.50 each; 2 for \$2.75, postpaid.**

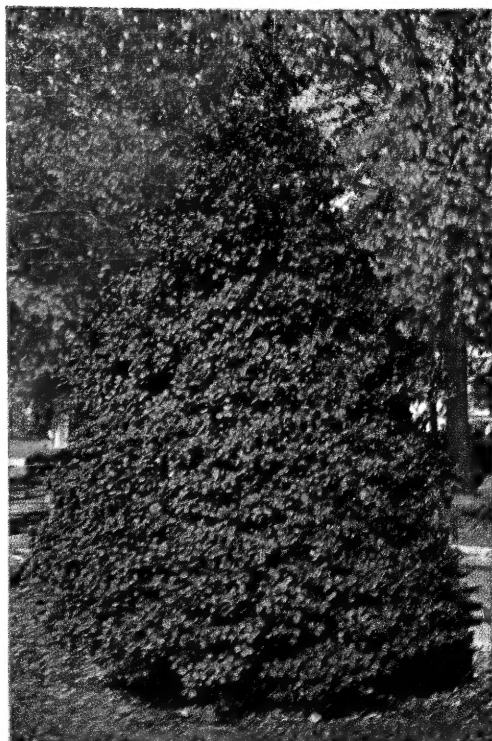


### **FORSYTHIA, Lynwood Gold**

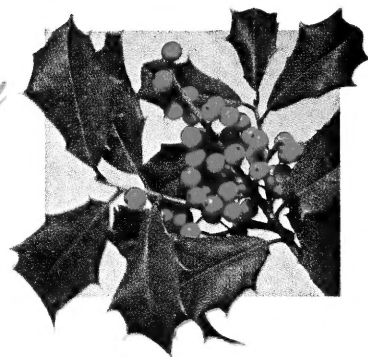
This splendid new Forsythia originated in Ireland, and we predict it will replace before many years, all other varieties of deep yellow color. The branches are erect and literally smothered under golden yellow flowers from top to bottom. For a magnificent show of golden yellow, there is nothing better. It is superb for cutting and flowering in the house during the winter months. It has been carefully tested for several years, and we recommend it without hesitation. Ultimate height 5 to 7 feet, depending on conditions. **\$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.75, postpaid.**







## Christmas Holly ILEX OPACA



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The trees are likely to do better where they are protected from strong winter winds and where they get some shade. A fertile, well drained soil, on the acid side, is preferred. The use of leaf mold and peat moss in planting and as a mulch is recommended. A special Holly fertilizer is listed below.

Although the tree will grow 30 to 40 ft. tall at maturity, it looks best when kept trimmed to a compact size of 4 to 8 ft.

Evergreen in its nature, with the heavy crop of attractive bright red berries during the winter, as an accent plant in strategic corners, flanking walks or front entrances, it is in a class by itself. It is invaluable for planting in areas fairly close to the house.

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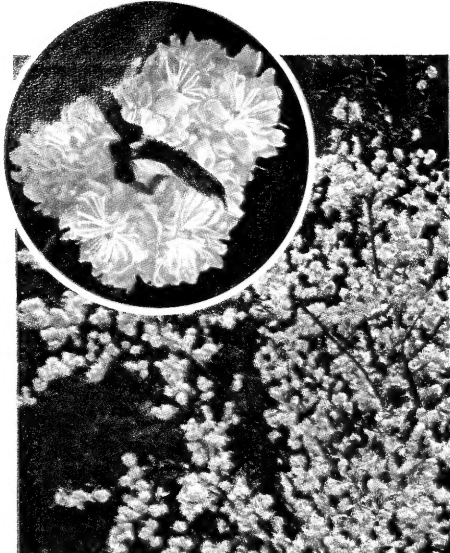
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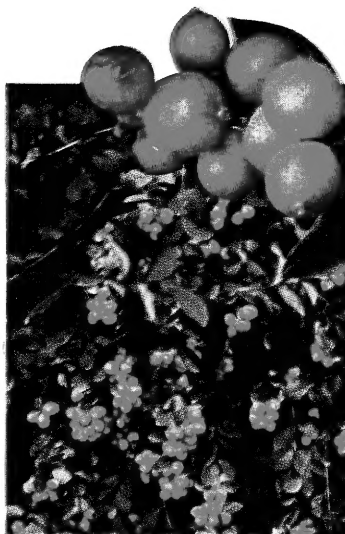


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(Euonymus radicans vegetus)

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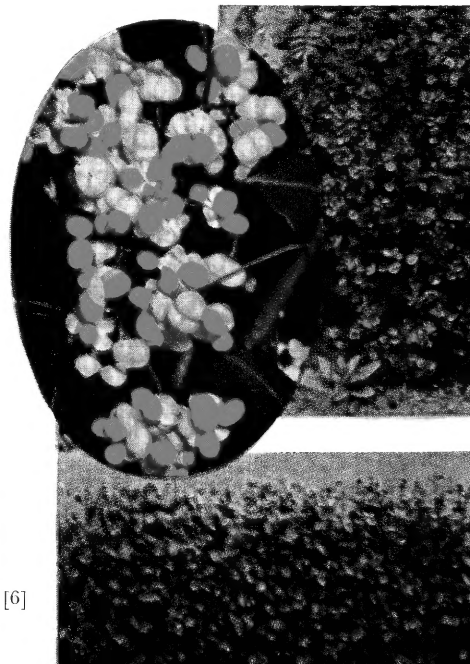
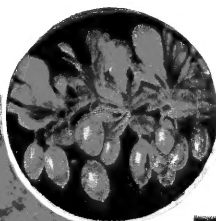
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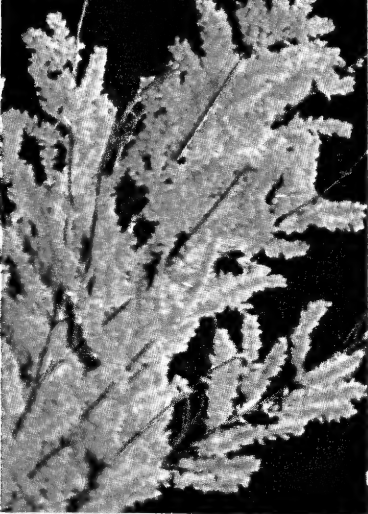
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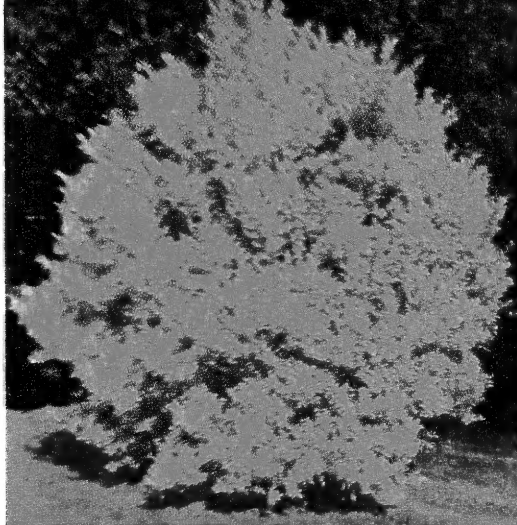


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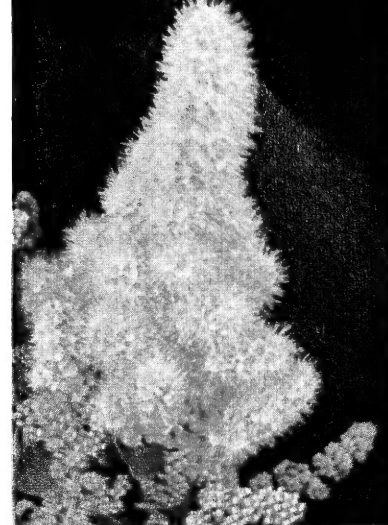
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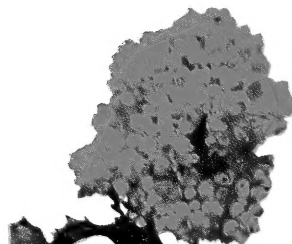
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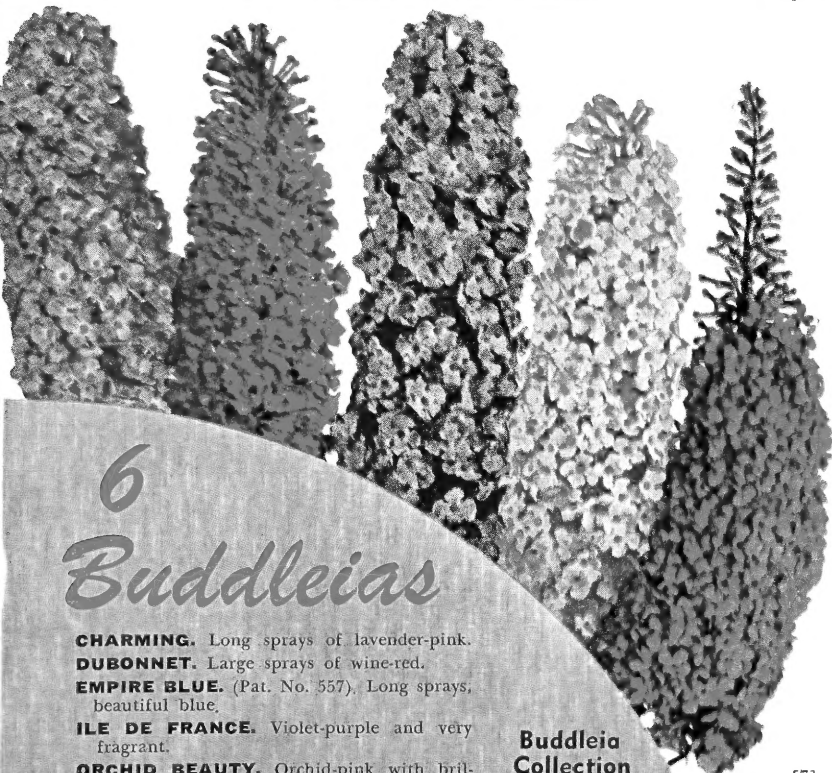
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### **OREGON GRAPE-HOLLY** (*Mahonia Aquifolium*)

The thick, glossy leaves resemble Holly, but are much larger and most attractive. Makes a compact bush, and when pruned severely every few years will become an indescribable mass of green and bronze foliage. Yellow blossoms in June, followed by blue-black berries. Thrives in shade. Easy to grow. **12-18 in., \$2.50 each; 2 for \$4.95, postpaid.**



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(Pink Deutzia)

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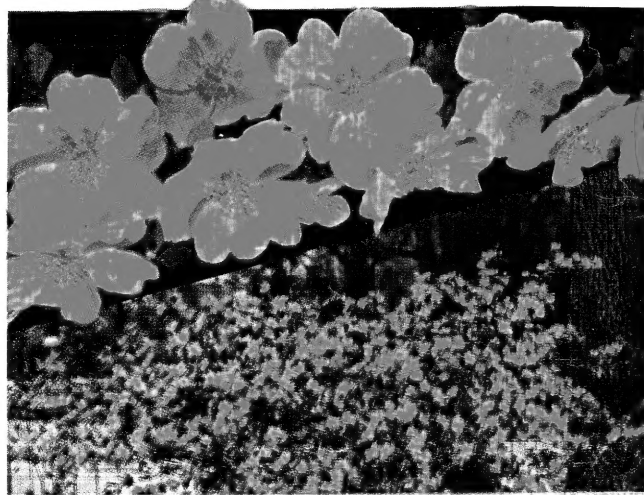
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Deutzia Gracilis Rosea



### ROSA HUGONIS - Hugo Rose

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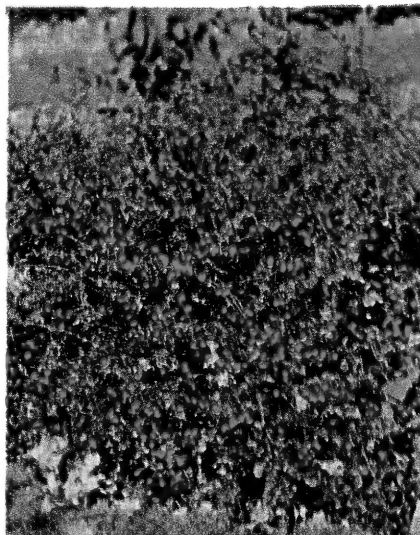
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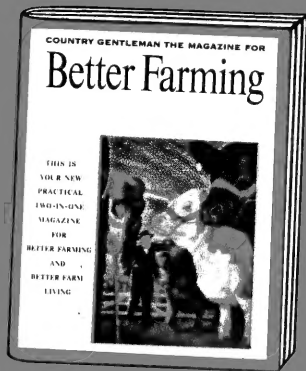
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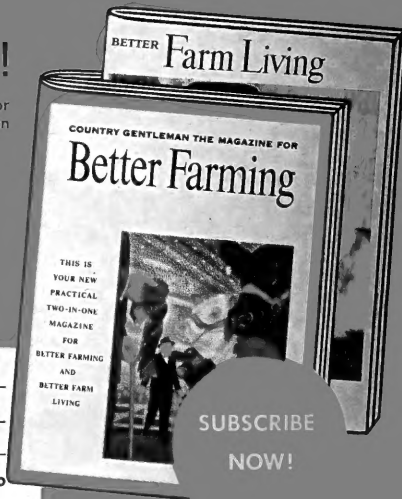
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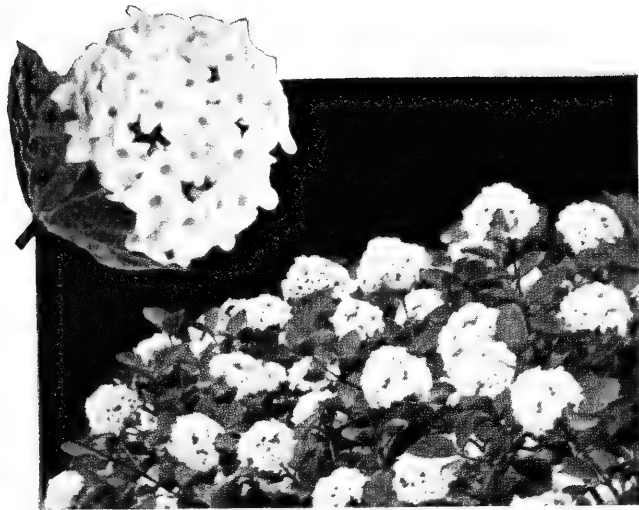
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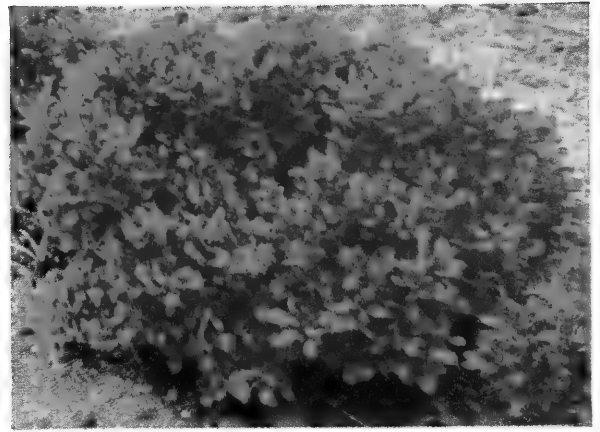


**Sweet-Scented VIBURNUM**  
**Blossoms Toned Light Pink—With Spicy Fragrance**  
 (Viburnum Carlesi)

This grand shrub is generally called the Pink Snowball. In the spring it is covered from top to bottom with very fragrant flowers that are light pink on the outside and the inside snowy white. It makes a nicely shaped bush 5 to 6 feet tall and just as wide, with branches right down to the ground. The deep green foliage colors a bronzy red in the fall. Is planted from coast to coast. It adds beauty and distinction to your planting.

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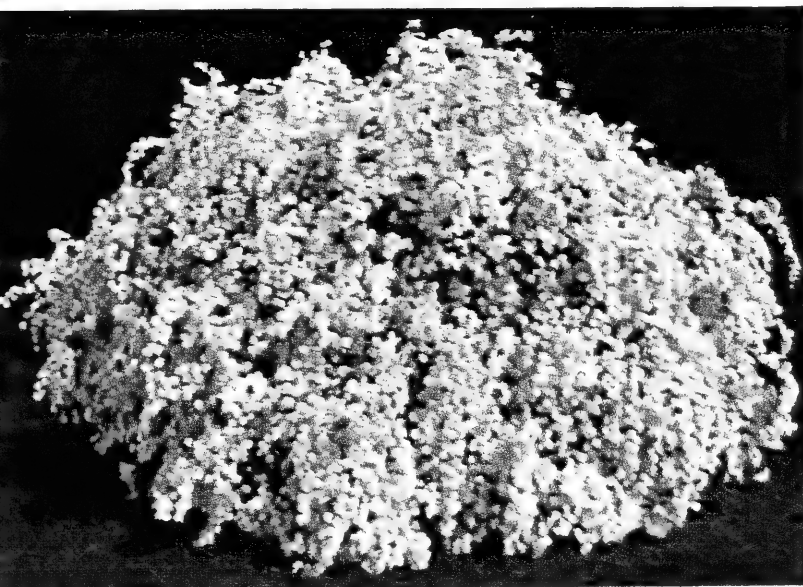
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One of the best low-growing, fall-blooming shrubs. It makes a neat, compact, rounded bush about 2 feet tall, with narrow, silvery green foliage. From August to frost, it is covered with many clusters of dainty blue flowers. The roots are hardy, but like a Peony bush, you cut off, each spring, the old canes and new ones come up. You are sure to like this shrub. **\$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.25, postpaid.**



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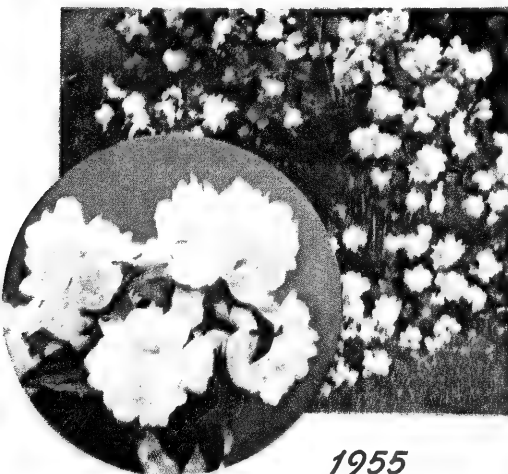
### SNOWBERRY

Waxy Berries in Fall

Small pink flowers in June or July. Waxy white berries from August until spring. Attractive, dense foliage, and the berries attract the birds. Grows under most adverse conditions to 4 feet high.

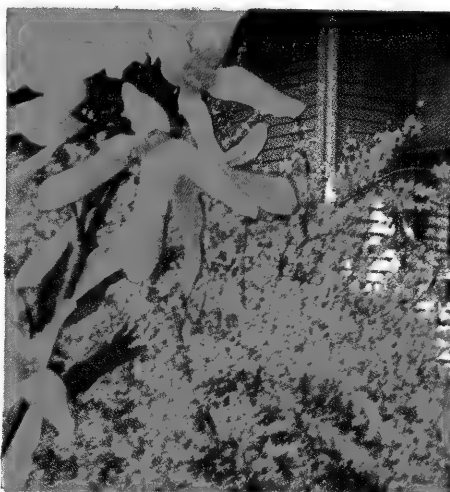
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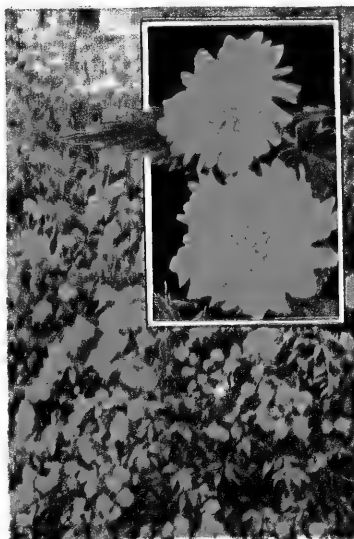


### BEAUTY BUSH

(Kolkwitzia). A magnificent specimen, growing to a height of 7 ft. Of great beauty and most adaptable. Upright growing branches arch gracefully outward, and during June, are weighted downward with lovely pink, bell-like flowers. Hardy and not too particular as to soil.

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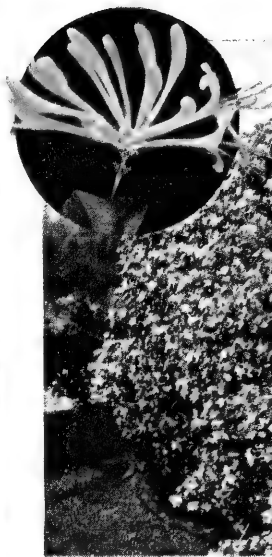
### DOUBLE GOLDEN KERRIA

The Globe Flower

Truly year around beauty. The button-like golden flowers cover the bush all summer. The very dense "saw-tooth" foliage serves as an interesting background. In winter the light green twiggly stems are very decorative. Grows 3-5 feet tall.

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### SWEET HONEYSUCKLE

(Lonicera Tatarica)

Dainty, small, pink, trumpet-shaped flowers in May, followed by a profusion of red berries. Makes a large shrub, 6 to 8 feet both in height and width. Excellent for screening and specimen planting. Grows in the poorest soil.

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2- 3 ft. ....	1.25	2.25

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# TO GROW

### EUONYMUS ALATUS COMPACTUS

(Burning Bush)

A Blazing Copper Color in Fall

Yellow flowers in May-June, followed by red fruits. In autumn the leaves turn brilliant coppery crimson tinged rose. Has an unusual corky bark. Thrives in partial shade or full sun. Perfectly hardy, makes a compact bushy plant 4 to 5 feet wide. Not particular as to soil. Very ornamental and attracts attention, spring, summer, fall and winter.

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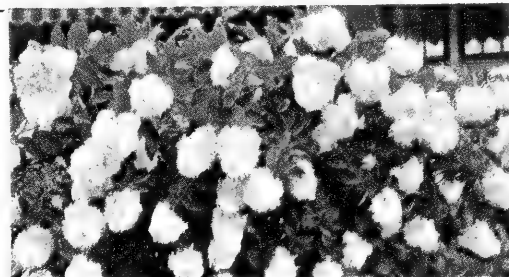
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### HYDRANGEA PEEGEE

A tall, stately shrub growing 4 feet in height. Branches bending over with giant cone-shaped flowers which are white at first, then pink and late in fall turning to copper and bronze. When cut, they last for weeks inside.

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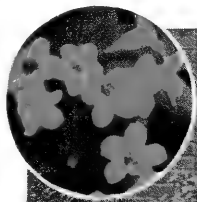


### WEIGELA, EVA RATHKE

Famous for its scarlet trumpet-shaped blooms and for its hardiness. Growing 3 to 5 feet high, it blooms heavily in June and moderately during the rest of the season.

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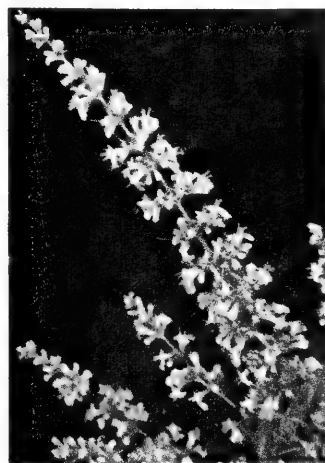
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### VITEX

#### The Distinctive Lavender Shrub

A 4-foot, dainty shrub of branching habit, which bears long spikes of lavender-blue flowers, forming a beautiful contrast to the silvery green foliage in August and September. Price: \$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.25, postpaid.







### MINNESOTA SNOWFLAKE

(Plant Pat. No. 538)

#### The Fragrant New Mock Orange

The NEW outstanding Mock Orange, beautiful as a Gardenia. The flowers are large, double, with orange-blossom fragrance. The season of flowering is early summer. Grows 8 feet high. It can be kept to the desired height by trimming. It is a strong grower; therefore very useful for screen, tall border and specimen plantings.

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### SILVER LEAF VARIEGATED DOGWOOD

(Cornus Elegantissima)

Outstanding accent plant. Leaves deep green in center, with wide border of silvery white. White flowers in early June, followed by attractive white fruits in late summer. Red stems furnish interest in winter. Stands very wet soil conditions.

	Each	2 for
18-24 in. ....	\$1.50	\$2.85
2- 3 ft. ....	2.00	3.75

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### NEW DWARF HONEYSUCKLE

Honeysuckle compacta nana

Compact in its habit of growth. Grows to a maximum height of 3 to 4 ft. Produces small yellow flowers in May, beautiful red berries in fall, which last most all winter, offering excellent fruit for the birds. Doesn't resemble any other Honeysuckle. Heavily furnished with leaves of a soft grayish green color. 12-18 in. plants, \$1.50 each; 2 for \$2.75, postpaid.

### BEAUTYBERRY

(Callicarpa Purpurea)

A graceful five-foot shrub that blooms in August with small pink tinted flowers. This is followed in September by quantities of violet-purple berries that hang until mid-winter. Grows 3-5 ft.

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### ALPINE CURRANT

A good dwarf shrub. Extremely rugged and hardy. Good for shady areas. Very dense growing with fine, dark green leaves. Flowers are small, yellow, fragrant, borne in May. Grows to 3 to 4 ft. Ideal for low hedge. 12-15 in., \$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.80; 10 for \$8.50, postpaid.



### HIGHBUSH CRANBERRY

Excellent to Hide Unsightly Places

One of the finest background and screen shrubs. Upright-spreading habit and healthy, deep green, 3-lobed leaves. Flowers heavily in May and June—white, flat clusters. Large clusters of scarlet berries remain in winter, make a valued tart jelly. Bright red fall foliage color. Grows equally well in shade or sun and in normal to wet soils.

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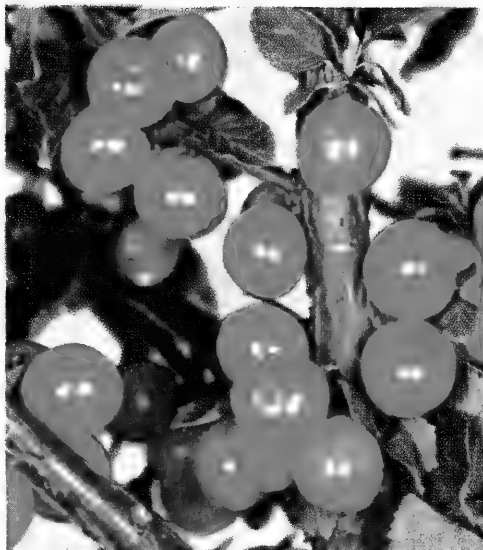
### DEUTZIA GRACILIS

#### A Fine Low Growing Foundation Shrub

A charming little "must" for every garden. Slender twigs covered with white flowers in May and June. Generally attains a height of 3 feet when fully matured.

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15-18 in. ....	1.25	2.25

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### NANKING CHERRY BUSH

(Prunus tomentosa)

Lovely Cherry-Like Blossoms That Bloom Before the Leaves Appear

A fine shrub with attractive clean looking foliage. The stems are covered with a profusion of Cherry-like bloom before the leaves appear in early spring. The fruit, an attractive bright red Cherry, is similar to sour red Cherry in flavor. Good for pies and jam. A good plant for filling the corner between house and porch. Grows 3-5 ft.

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### Extra Large PUSSY WILLOWS

#### Always Welcome for House Decoration

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### HILLS OF SNOW HYDRANGEA

#### A Grand Shrub for Shady Places

This easy growing shrub thrives everywhere and never fails to put on a display of showy, pure white, snowball-like flowers. Grows approximately 3 feet tall. A good shrub for shady places.

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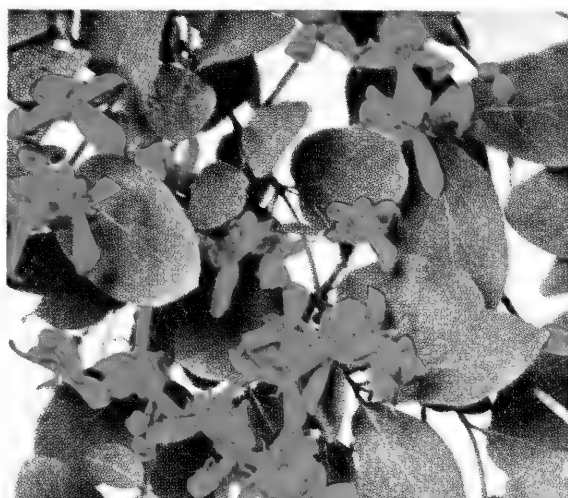
## The Lovely Flowering ZABELI HONEYSUCKLE

(Lonicera zabeli)

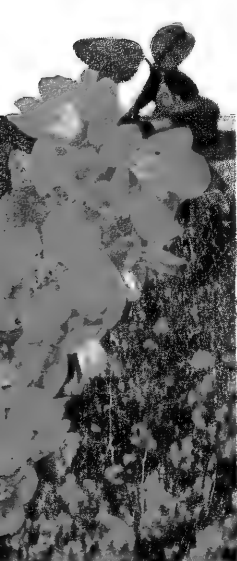
#### A Shapely Bush Fine Foliage

A marvelous accent or specimen shrub. If you want a stunning flowering hedge at 4 to 5 feet, this is it. Sturdy, upright growth; attractive blue-green leaves; profuse red flowers in spring and long lasting red berries late summer and fall. If you wish to keep it thick and formally trimmed, plant 1½ ft. apart, but for its informal beauty, plant 3 feet apart.

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### SCARLET QUINCE

The Fire Bush

A first choice for rich, happy spring color for both indoor and outdoor beauty. Covered with masses of semi-double, brilliant scarlet flowers, even before the attractive shiny green leaves appear. Quince-shaped, fragrant fruit which makes excellent jelly and marmalade follows and adds to the attractiveness of this 3 to 5 ft. "must" in landscaping.

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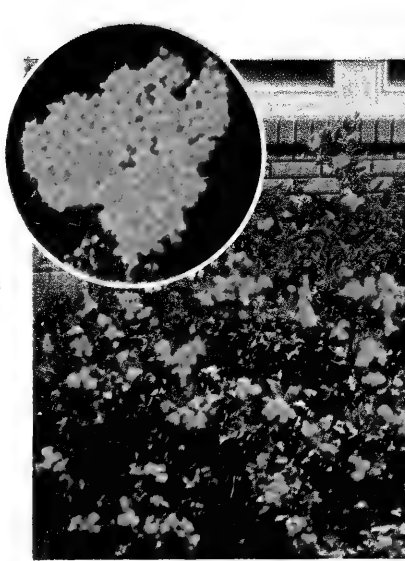
### GOLDFLAME HONEYSUCKLE

From June until freezing, this magnificent vine is covered with showy clusters of large, fragrant flowers, rosy flame outside and gold inside. The attractive foliage, a rich blue-green, makes a perfect background for the brilliant flowers. Hardy, thrives in full sun or partial shade. It can be used in so many places—trellis, porch, pergola, fence, fine for covering bank or can be trained as a shrub.

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2-yr., large	Postpaid	\$1.25	\$2.25
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### RED SPIREA

(*Spirea Anthony Waterer*)

A choice, low growing shrub, distinctive in style and form. It produces masses of showy, bright crimson flower clusters in July, and if the old blooms are cut away, it will continue to bloom until frost. Nice for specimen planting as well as in groups. Ultimate height 18 to 24 in.

Each 2 for

15-18 in. ....	\$1.00	\$1.80
18-24 in. ....	1.25	2.25

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### VARIEGATED WEIGELA

An attractive shrub of spreading growth, attaining a height of 4 to 5 feet. Flowers are pale pink, trumpet-shaped, blooming in June. Foliage is a handsome green, edged with creamy white.

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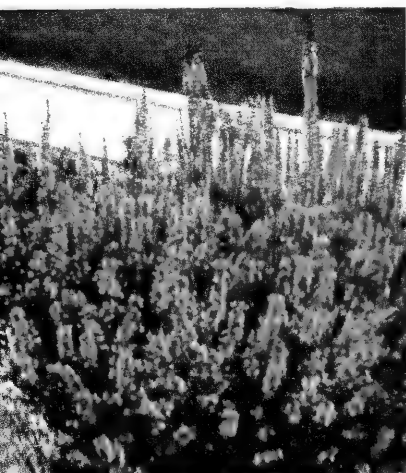
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### LYTHRUM, ROBERT

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### WINTERBERRY

(*Euonymus radicans erecta*)

A broad, spreading shrub clothed in rich bright green foliage that remains on the plant year round. It's a plant that blends well with established evergreen plantings. Thrives in sun or partial shade. Makes a shapely bush 4-5 ft. tall with red berries which hang on late in the season. This is not an ordinary shrub. Be the first to have it in your neighborhood.

Each 2 for

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18-24 in. ....	1.50	2.75

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### RUBY TREE

(*Prunus pissardi*)

Leaves are purple and more lasting than many purple-leaf plants. Grows approximately 10 feet high and gives excellent foliage contrast in a shrub border. **3-4 ft., \$1.75 each. 4-5 ft., \$2.25 each, postpaid.**







### BLUE HYDRANGEA

Blooms of charming blue throughout the summer. Soil should be very acid to bring out the blue color. To maintain soil acidity, mix 4 or 5 tablespoons of aluminum sulphate to a gallon of water, and apply to the soil for 2 or 3 weeks during the growing season. Grows in partial or full shade. Mound earth up around plant 10 or 12 inches for winter protection, same as for Roses. A real novelty.

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2-yr. ....	\$1.75	\$3.00
3-yr., large .....	2.25	4.00

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See Pages 18 and 19  
for Dwarf Pear,  
Apple, Cherries,  
Peaches.



HELLO:

I'm Thomas Edward Kelly. I arrived on October 12th, 1954, just in time to get my picture in our 75th Anniversary catalog.

### GOLDEN SYRINGA

(*Philadelphus aureus*)

Always a "showy" shrub because of its all-season golden yellow foliage. Flowers are intensely white, with a fragrance which is delightful, more delicate, yet as penetrating in the garden as that of the Jasmine. Grows to a height of 4 to 5 ft., and is not fussy about location—doing well in smoky or dusty places. 12-15 in., \$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.75, postpaid. 15-18 in., \$2.25 each; 2 for \$4.25, postpaid.



### ALTHEA, ROSE OF SHARON

A hardy 6 to 8 foot shrub, with shamrock-green leaves, forming a backdrop for double, Rose-like flowers. A most welcome sight in the fall.

	4 Colors:				Each	2 for
	Pink	Purple	Red	White		
18-24 in. ....					\$1.00	\$1.80
2- 3 ft. ....					1.25	2.25

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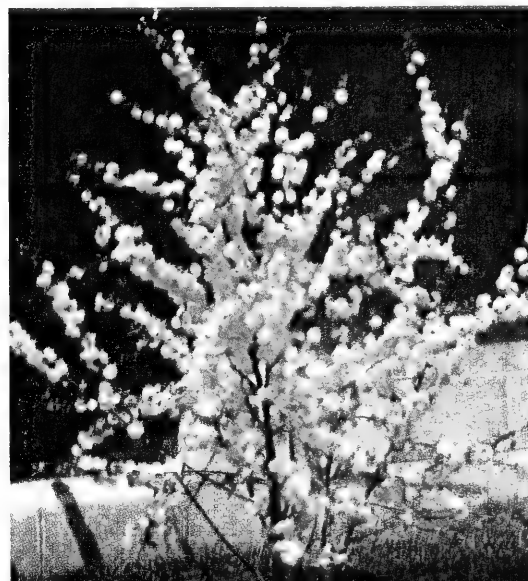
### ROSE TREE of CHINA

(*Prunus Triloba*)

Branches are hidden under a fleecy cloud of bright pink double blossoms resembling small pink Roses, even before leaves are out in the spring. A breath-taking sight in full bloom, especially when it reaches full height of about 4 to 6 feet. Should be included in every yard. Very hardy and easy to grow.

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### GROUP 1

These plants are ideal for foundation plantings under windows and where you want a more dwarf growing shrub.

#### DWARF SHRUBS 1½-3 Ft. High

	Height at Maturity	Color of Bloom	Time of Bloom	Listed Page
Alpine Currant .....	3- 4 ft.	Yellow	May	12
Blue Hydrangea .....	3 ft.	Blue	June-Sept.	15
Blue Mist (Caryopteris) .....	2 ft.	Powdery blue	Aug. to frost	10
Coralberry (Indian Currant) .....	3 ft.	White	May, June	6
Deutzia, Gracilis Rosea .....	2- 3 ft.	Pink	May	8
Evergreen Bittersweet (Euonymus radicans vegetus) .....	2- 3 ft.	Greenish white	June, July	6
Flowering Almond .....	3- 4 ft.	Pink	May	6
Goldflame Honeysuckle .....	2- 3 ft.	Rosy flame	June to frost	14
Hypericum Hidcote .....	2- 3 ft.	Yellow	June to frost	2
Red Spirea, Anthony Waterer .....	2- 3 ft.	Crimson	June-Sept.	14
Slender Deutzia, Gracilis .....	2- 3 ft.	White	May	13

### GROUP 2

These plants are ideal for planting on the corners, between windows and as a background shrub for those listed in Group 1.

#### SHRUBS MEDIUM IN HEIGHT 4-6 Ft.—Below Eye Level

	Height at Maturity	Color of Bloom	Time of Bloom	Listed Page
Althea Coelestis .....	4- 5 ft.	Blue	June-Sept.	2
Beauty Berry .....	3- 5 ft.	Pink	August	12
Buddleias, Charming, Dubonnet, Ile de France .....	4- 5 ft.	Pink, lilac, wine	July-Oct.	7
Chaste Tree (Vitex macrophylla) .....	4- 5 ft.	Lavender	July-Sept.	11
Frosty Morn Philadelphus .....	40 in.	White	June-July	3
Globe Flower (Kerria) .....	4- 5 ft.	Golden yellow	June-Sept.	11
Golden Privet .....	4- 6 ft.	White	June	7
Golden Syringa .....	4- 5 ft.	White	May, June	15
Green Leaf Barberry .....	3- 5 ft.	Yellow	April	41
Honeysuckle, Zabeli .....	4- 5 ft.	Pink	May, June	13
Hydrangea P. G. ....	4- 5 ft.	White to pink	July to frost	11

### GROUP 2—Continued

	Height at Maturity	Color of Bloom	Time of Bloom	Listed Page
Hydrangea, Snowball (Arborescens) .....	3- 5 ft.	White	July-Sept.	13
Philadelphus Belle Etoile .....	5 ft.	White	May-June	53
Prunus Triloba (Rose Tree of China) .....	4- 6 ft.	Pink	May, June	15
Red Leaf Barberry .....	3- 5 ft.	Yellow	April	6, 41
Rosa Hugonis .....	4- 6 ft.	Yellow	May	8
Rosa Rugosa .....	4- 6 ft.	Pink	May thru Summer	53
Scarlet Quince .....	4- 5 ft.	Red	April, May	14
Snowberry .....	4- 5 ft.	Pink	June	10
Spreading Cotoneaster Divaricata .....	4- 6 ft.	Pink	June	8
Tomentosa, Nanking Cherry .....	4- 5 ft.	Cherry	April, May	13
Viburnum Carlesi .....	4- 5 ft.	Pink and white	April, May	9
Weigela, Eva Rathke .....	4- 5 ft.	Red	May	11
Weigela, Variegated .....	4- 5 ft.	Pale pink	June	14
Winterberry (Radicans Erecta) .....	4- 5 ft.	Red berries	Evergreen	14

### GROUP 3

These plants are ideal for mass plantings, hedges or individual yard plantings.

#### LARGE SHRUBS, 6-8 Ft. High Above Eye Level

	Height at Maturity	Color of Bloom	Time of Bloom	Listed Page
Althea (Rose of Sharon) ...	8 ft.	White Pink Purple Red	August	15
Beauty Bush (Kolkwitzia) ..	6- 8 ft.	Shell-pink	June, July	11
Burning Bush .....	5- 7 ft.	Yellow	May	11
Forsythia, Spring Glory .....	6- 8 ft.	Yellow	April, May	10
Forsythia, Lynwood Gold ..	6- 8 ft.	Yellow	April, May	2
Japanese Maple .....	6- 8 ft.	Red	Leaves red all summer	44
Minnesota Snowflake .....	6- 8 ft.	White	May, June	12
Philadelphus Virginialis .....	6 ft.	White	June-Aug.	10
Snowball .....	8 ft.	White	May-July	8
Spirea Van Houttei .....	6 ft.	White	May	9
Sweetshrub (Calycanthus) ..	6 ft.	Reddish brown	June-July	6
Variegated Leaf Dogwood (Cornus Elegantissima) ..	6- 8 ft.	White	June	13

## GROUP 4

These plants are used primarily as specimen plants for tall hedges and screens.

### VERY LARGE SHRUBS, 8-12 Ft. Becoming Almost Tree-Like

	Height at Maturity	Color of Bloom	Time of Bloom	Listed Page
Amur River Privet .....	8-10 ft.	White	June, July	41
French Hybrid Lilacs .....	8-12 ft.	Assorted colors	May	8
French Pussy Willow .....	8-12 ft.	Silver gray	Mar., April	13
Golden Pussy Willow .....	8-12 ft.	Golden gray	Mar., April	10
High Bush Cranberry .....	8 ft.	White	May, June	12
Hydrangea P. G. (Tree Form) .....	8-10 ft.	White	Aug.-Oct.	11
Purple and White Lilacs .....	12 ft.	True lilac and white	May	10
Smoke Tree .....	12 ft.	Smoky white	July, Aug.	44
Sweet Honeysuckle .....	8-12 ft.	Pink	May	11
Tamarix .....	8-12 ft.	Pink	May, June	7

### VINES (For Trellis or Wire Support)

	Height at Maturity	Color of Bloom	Time of Bloom	Listed Page
Bittersweet .....	20-25 ft.	Greenish white	June	50
Clematis—All Varieties .....	8-10 ft.	Various	July-Oct.	50
Dutchman's Pipe .....	12-15 ft.	Brownish, pipe shaped	July	50
Goldflame Honeysuckle .....	8-10 ft.	Flame and gold	June to freezing	14
Hall's Honeysuckle .....	20-30 ft.	White	June-Aug.	61
Purple Wisteria .....	20-25 ft.	Purple	June	50
Silver Lace Vine .....	10-12 ft.	White	June	50
Trumpet Creeper .....	30-40 ft.	Orange-scarlet	July-Sept.	50

### CLINGING VINES FOR MASONRY Wood or Stone Support

	Height at Maturity	Color of Bloom	Time of Bloom	Listed Page
Boston Ivy .....	40 ft.			50
Evergreen Bittersweet (Euonymus radicans vegetus) .....	15-20 ft.	Greenish white	June, July	6

### GROUND COVERS

	Height at Maturity	Color of Bloom	Time of Bloom	Listed Page
Goldflame Honeysuckle .....	8-10 ft.	Flame and gold	June until freezing	14
Hall's Honeysuckle .....	20-30 ft.	White	June-Aug.	61
Pachysandra .....	6-10 in.	White (Inconspicuous)	May	61

### SHRUBS FOR DRY PLACES

	Height at Maturity	Color of Bloom	Time of Bloom	Listed Page
Amur River Privet .....	8-10 ft.	White	June, July	41
Coralberry (Indian Currant) .....	3 ft.	White	May, June	6
Forsythias .....	6-8 ft.	Yellow	April, May	2, 10
Green Leaf Barberry .....	3-5 ft.	Yellow	April	41
Red Leaf Barberry .....	3-5 ft.	Yellow	April	6, 41
Snowberry .....	4-5 ft.	Pink	June	10
Sweet Honeysuckle .....	8-12 ft.	Pink	May	11

### SHRUBS FOR WET PLACES

	Height at Maturity	Color of Bloom	Time of Bloom	Listed Page
French Pussy Willow .....	8-12 ft.	Silver-gray	Mar., April	13
Golden Pussy Willow .....	8-12 ft.	Golden gray	Mar., April	10
Snowball .....	8 ft.	White	May-July	8
White and Pink Dogwood .....	10-12 ft.	White and pink	June	47

### FOR BRILLIANT AUTUMN COLOR FOLIAGE or BARK

	Height at Maturity	Color of Bloom	Time of Bloom	Listed Page
Burning Bush .....	5-7 ft.	Yellow	May	11
Forsythias .....	6-8 ft.	Yellow	April, May	2, 10
Globe Flower (Kerria) .....	4-5 ft.	Golden yellow	June-Sept.	11
Green Leaf Barberry .....	3-5 ft.	Yellow	April	41
Red Leaf Barberry .....	3-5 ft.	Yellow	April	6, 41
Viburnum Carlesii .....	4-5 ft.	Pink and white	April, May	9
White and Pink Dogwood .....	10-12 ft.	White and pink	June	47

### SHRUBS with Attractive Fruits and Berries for Winter Effect and Food for Birds

	Height at Maturity	Color of Bloom	Time of Bloom	Listed Page
Burning Bush .....	5-7 ft.	Yellow	May	11
Coralberry (Indian Currant) .....	3 ft.	White	May, June	6
Green Leaf Barberry .....	3-5 ft.	Yellow	April	41
High Bush Cranberry .....	8 ft.	White	May, June	12
Red Leaf Barberry .....	3-5 ft.	Yellow	April	6, 41
Snowball .....	8 ft.	White	May-July	8
Snowberry .....	4-5 ft.	Pink	June	10
Sweet Honeysuckle .....	8-12 ft.	Pink	May	11

### DESIRABLE SHRUBS Because of Unusual Foliage Color Characteristics in Addition to Blossoms

	Height at Maturity	Color of Bloom	Time of Bloom	Listed Page
Burning Bush .....	5-7 ft.	Yellow	May	11
Golden Privet .....	4-6 ft.	White	June	7
Golden Syringa .....	4-5 ft.	White	May, June	15
Variegated Leaf Dogwood (Cornus Elegantiissima) .....	6-8 ft.	White	June	13

### SHRUBS Especially Adapted for Hedges, Clipped to Shape

	Height at Maturity	Color of Bloom	Time of Bloom	Listed Page
Amur River Privet .....	8-10 ft.	White	June, July	41
Blue Leaf Hedge .....	2-3 ft.	Gray, blue Green		41
Chinese Elm .....				41
Green Leaf Barberry .....	3-5 ft.	Yellow	April	41
Red Leaf Barberry .....	3-5 ft.	Yellow	April	41
Scarlet Quince .....	4-5 ft.	Red	April, May	14

### FOR INFORMAL HEDGE, Unclipped Natural Growth

	Height at Maturity	Color of Bloom	Time of Bloom	Listed Page
Althea (Rose of Sharon) .....	8 ft.	White, Pink, Purple, Red	Aug.	15
Deutzia Gracilis .....	2-3 ft.	White	May	13
Green Leaf Barberry .....	3-5 ft.	Yellow	April	41
Purple and White Lilacs .....	12 ft.	True lilac and white	May	10
Red Leaf Barberry .....	3-5 ft.	Yellow	April	41
Red Spirea, Anthony Waterer .....	2-3 ft.	Crimson	June-Sept.	14
Scarlet Quince .....	4-5 ft.	Red	April, May	14
Sweet Honeysuckle .....	8-12 ft.	Pink	May	11

### SHRUBS FOR SHADY BANKS

	Height at Maturity	Color of Bloom	Time of Bloom	Listed Page
Coralberry (Indian Currant) .....	3 ft.	White	May, June	6
Snowberry .....	4-5 ft.	Pink	June	10
Sweet Honeysuckle .....	8-12 ft.	Pink	May	11



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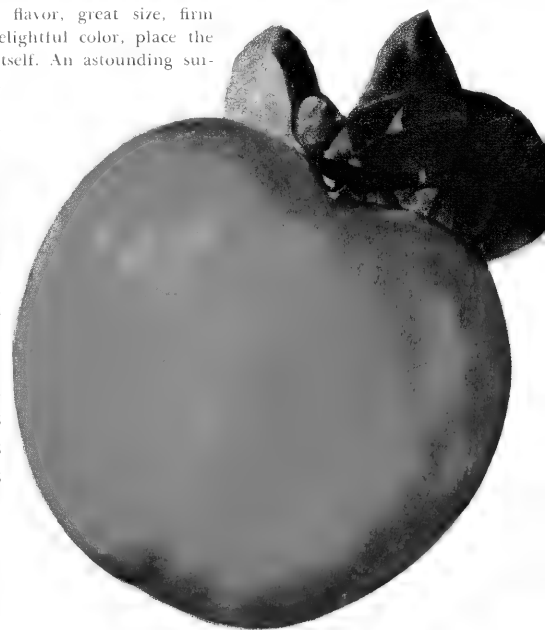
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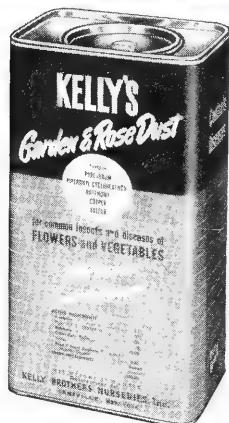
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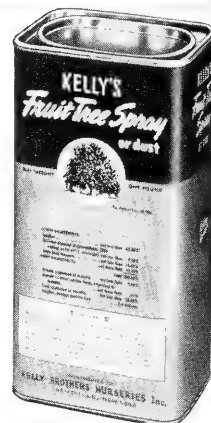


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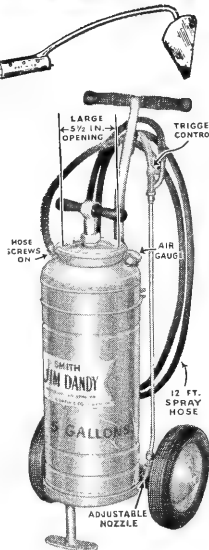
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## 5 GOOD APPLES In Color on Page 23

**CORTLAND.** An Apple of the McIntosh type, combines the high quality and flavor of the McIntosh, and tendency to hang to the tree of the Ben Davis. The fruit of Cortland is larger than that of McIntosh, round in shape. Color bright red splashed with carmine and overlaid with purplish bloom. October-February.

**DOUBLE RED DELICIOUS.** A large, dark red Apple, with crisp, fine-grained flesh of excellent quality and flavor; a splendid keeper and shipper. Tree one of the hardiest. A regular annual bearer. Excellent for eating and the most popular fruitstand Apple. Nov.-March.

**YELLOW DELICIOUS.** A bright, golden yellow Apple of excellent quality. Firm, crisp, and very juicy. Splendid keeper. Bears young and heavily. October to April.

**RED McINTOSH.** (Rogers Solid Red Strain.) Without doubt the leading commercial variety of New York and the New England States. A very attractive red Apple of the highest quality. Hardy, bears young and annually. Flesh white, fine, very tender, juicy and refreshing, with attractive flavor. October-January.

**RED ROME.** Red sport of Rome Beauty, and like Gallia Beauty is identical with its parent in all characteristics except fruit is a solid red color. December-May.

**DAVEY.** Plant Pat. 906. A McIntosh seedling from the orchard of S. L. Davenport, North Grafton, Mass. Thoroughly tested, we can recommend it. Bears early and annually. Resistant to scab. Blossoms with McIntosh, matures with Baldwin. Distinct flavor of its own. Texture resembles Wealthy. Size and shape similar to McIntosh. Easy to handle, good shipper. **Price: 2-yr. trees, \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 10 for \$12.50.**

### FALL APPLES

**EARLY McINTOSH.** For home orchard or commercial use this is the ideal early variety to plant. Resembles its McIntosh parent with its handsome red color and uniform, round shape. The tree is a vigorous grower, hardy and productive. Tends to be a biennial bearer, although for annual crops early thinning is recommended. It comes into bearing at an early age. The flesh is white, tender and juicy with fine flavor. August 15-25.

**WEALTHY.** Beautiful, moderate sized, brilliant red Apple; fine quality. Owing to hardness of the tree, its adaptability to cold climates and early bearing habits, can be profitably planted as a filler. September 15-20.

**YELLOW TRANSPARENT.** Fruit of good size; skin clear white turning to pale yellow; flavor acid and very good, making it excellent for cooking. Begins to ripen some time in July and continues for 3 or 4 weeks. Tree very early and abundant bearer. August 3-7.



# KELLY'S APPLES

## GENERAL LIST OF APPLE TREES SUMMER APPLES

Months listed after description indicate the time at which the fruit is at its best for general use. Dates indicate time of ripening.

**RED DUCHESS.** A solid red strain of the old Duchess of Oldenburg. One of the hardiest varieties grown. Fruit is large, striped red in color. A good early eating Apple. Vigorous grower. Regular and prolific bearer. Excellent for pies and sauces. August 5-10.

**LODI.** A new fruit that closely resembles one of its parents, Yellow Transparent, but the fruits are larger and ripen a little later. An annual bearer that is becoming a commercial variety. August 10-15.

**MILTON.** Bright pinkish red, large, flesh tender, very white and a refreshing aroma. An early and annual bearer. Excellent for home and roadside markets. September 15-20.

**RED GRAVENSTEIN.** A new red sport, much more attractive than its parent. Differs from old Gravenstein, being solid dark red in color, is a better keeper and hangs better on the tree. September 10-15.

**RED ASTRACHAN.** One of the best summer varieties, as it becomes fully ripe and ready for home use from late July to August. Fruit very handsome, large, round, nearly covered with deep crimson, overspread with thick bloom; juicy and good though rather acid. Tree medium size, yielding good crops. August 2-6.

## WINTER APPLES

Months listed after descriptions indicate the time at which the fruit is at its best for general use.

**BALDWIN.** Yields large crops and is an excellent shipper. Highly regarded as an eating and cooking Apple, having a flavor all its own. Fruit is large, bright red, crisp, juicy and rich. December-March.

**MACOUN.** A late McIntosh type Apple ripening about 10 days later than McIntosh. Dark red with whitish, close-grained flesh. Fine quality. A heavy and regular bearer. Introduced and recommended by N. Y. Experiment Station. November.

**MONROE.** A Grand New Apple from the N. Y. Experiment Station. Named and introduced for trial in 1949. Tree upright-spreading, vigorous and an annual bearer. Fruit large, roundish conic; color similar to Jonathan, its maternal parent. Flesh yellowish, crisp, juicy and mildly sub-acid; quality good. Winter Apple that offers possibilities for dessert and culinary uses. Supply limited—order today. **1-yr. trees, \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.25; 10 for \$12.50. 2-yr. trees, \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.75; 10 for \$17.50.**

**NORTHERN SPY.** Easily ranks among the very best winter Apples. Fruit is large, very attractive, being of bright red color with a pronounced bloom. Flesh is juicy, crisp and excellent for dessert or culinary purposes. Keeps well in storage until April or later. November-April.

**RED SPY.** A new red sport identical with Northern Spy, except that the fruit is a solid bright red without either stripe or splash. Much handsomer than its parent. November-May.

**RHODE ISLAND GREENING.** As a cooking Apple it is unsurpassed, and as a dessert fruit of its season, has few equals. It is a good keeper but keeps better if picked early. This Greening is a beautiful yellow color when ripe and an abundant yielder. December-April.

**ROME BEAUTY.** Yellow and red-striped Apple of excellent quality. Prolific annual bearer. Early bearer and good keeper. Profitable commercial sort for New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and West Virginia. December-May.

**STAYMAN.** Comes into bearing young. A reliable cropper. Medium to large size fruit. Slightly striped, coloring to dull red. December-March.

**YELLOW DELICIOUS.** See illustration, page 23, and description, above.

### Prices of Kelly's Inspected Apple Trees

(Except as noted)

	1-6 Each	7-12 Each	13-25 Each	26-50 Each
2-yr., 5-6 ft. . . . .	\$2.00	\$1.85	\$1.65	\$1.45
2-yr., 4-5 ft. . . . .	1.65	1.50	1.30	1.10
2-yr., 3-4 ft. . . . .	1.35	1.20	1.05	.90

Commercial growers interested in 50 or more trees, please write for our Commercial Price List.

To insure cross-pollination be sure to plant two varieties of Apples.



# 5 CHOICE APPLE COLLECTION

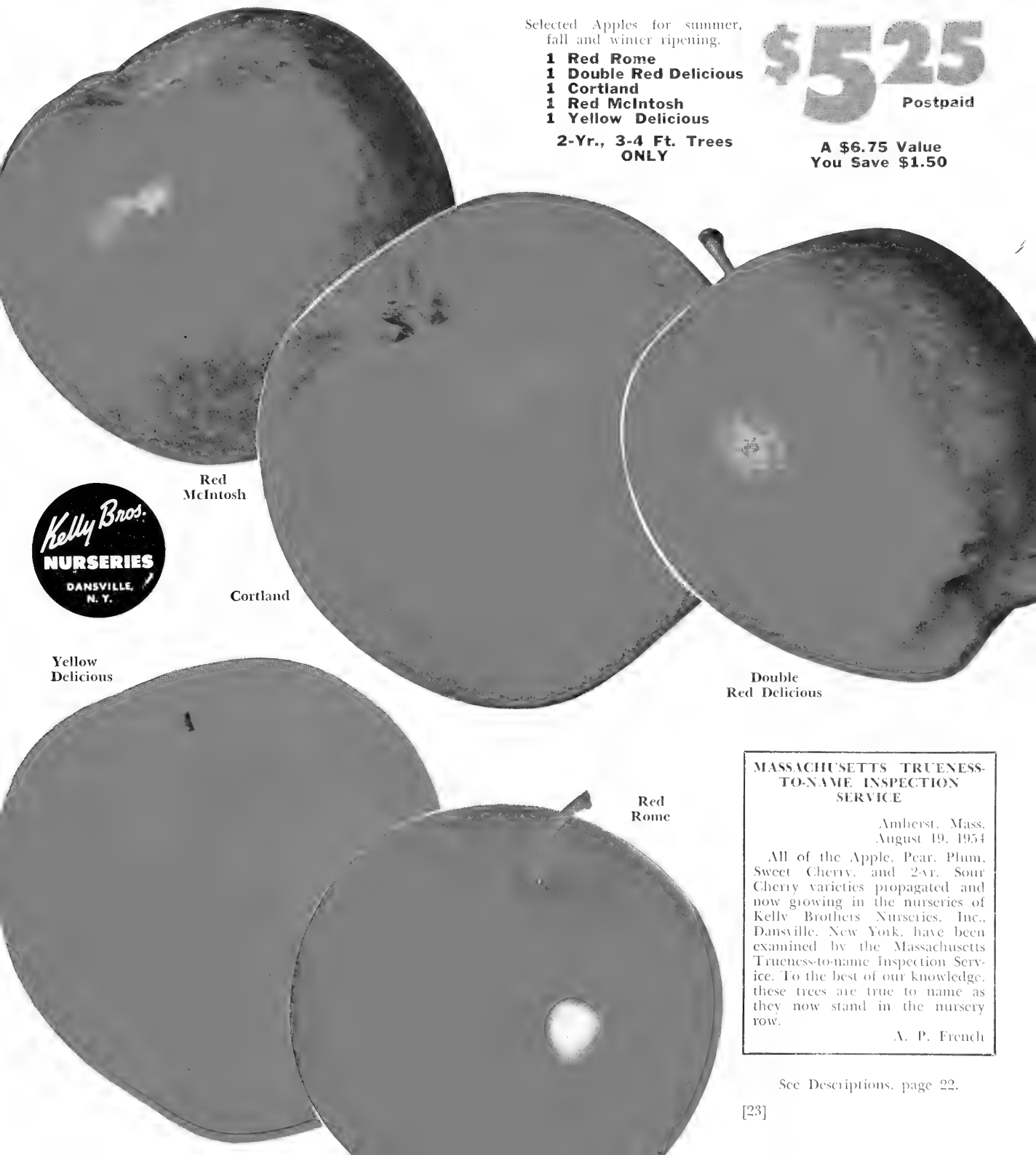
Selected Apples for summer,  
fall and winter ripening.

- 1 Red Rome
- 1 Double Red Delicious
- 1 Cortland
- 1 Red McIntosh
- 1 Yellow Delicious

2-Yr., 3-4 Ft. Trees  
ONLY

**\$5.25**  
Postpaid

A \$6.75 Value  
You Save \$1.50



Red  
McIntosh

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Red Delicious

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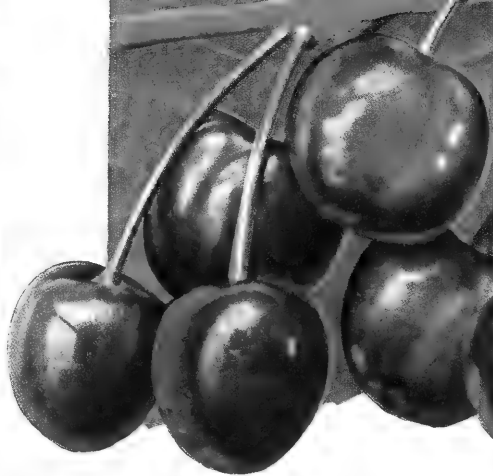
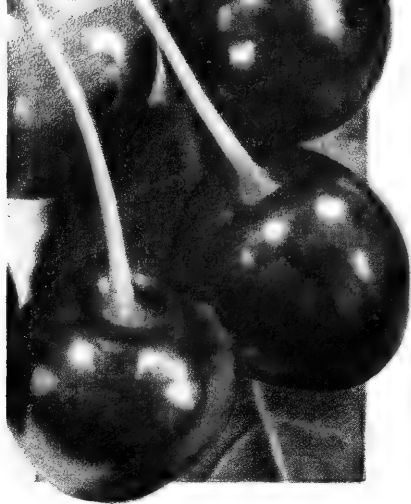
## MASSACHUSETTS TRUENESS- TO-NAME INSPECTION SERVICE

Amherst, Mass.  
August 19, 1954

All of the Apple, Pear, Plum, Sweet Cherry, and 2-yr. Sour Cherry varieties propagated and now growing in the nurseries of Kelly Brothers Nurseries, Inc., Dansville, New York, have been examined by the Massachusetts Trueness-to-name Inspection Service. To the best of our knowledge, these trees are true to name as they now stand in the nursery row.

A. P. French

See Descriptions, page 22.



### BLACK TARTARIAN - Sweet

Well known and popular sweet Cherry; very large, bright purplish black, juicy, and has a rich flavor. Excellent for canning and a good shipper. Trees are remarkably vigorous and erect growers, produce immense crops. Ripening date June 20-July 4.

SWEET CHERRY	1-6	7-12	13-25	26-50
PRICES	Each	Each	Each	Each
2-yr., 5-6 ft. ....	\$2.65	\$2.50	\$2.40	\$2.00
2-yr., 4-5 ft. ....	2.30	2.15	1.95	1.65
2-yr., 3-4 ft. ....	1.90	1.75	1.55	1.40
1-yr., 4-5 ft. ....	1.90	1.75	1.55	1.40

Commercial growers interested in 50 or more trees, please write for our Commercial Price List.

### SCHMIDT'S BIGGAREAU

#### Sweet

A midseason black sweet Cherry. Considered one of the best large varieties of its season. Delicious to eat fresh and canned, and very attractive. Fruit grows in clusters. Keeps well and is an excellent shipper. In size it is usually unsurpassed by any black Cherry in the East. Ripens about July 10.

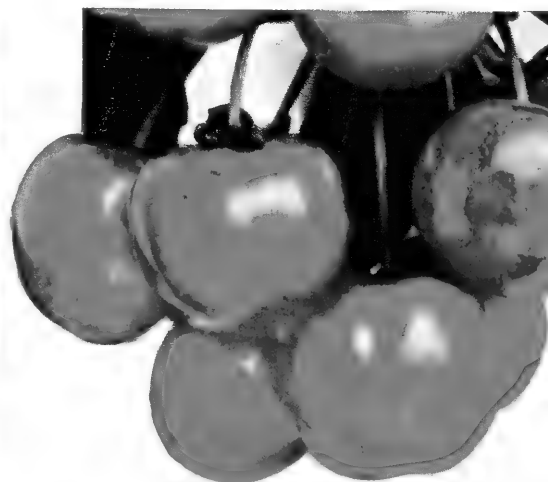
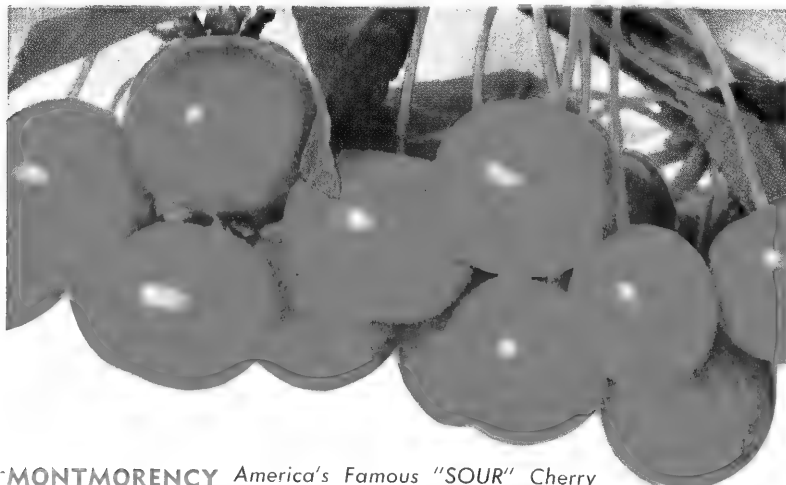
### WINDSOR

#### Sweet Black Oxheart

One of the best quality dark Cherries, often referred to as Black Oxheart. Has pinkish flesh and almost black skin. Large, juicy and firm. Delicious to eat fresh, and wonderful for canning. Used extensively for fancy preserving. Tree grows upright and is a rapid and vigorous grower. A good commercial variety. Ripening date July 20-26.



## KELLY'S CHERRIES



### MONTMORENCY America's Famous "SOUR" Cherry

Always in demand by the home canner as well as the canning factories where they are canned by hundreds of tons. The trees are good bearers and the fruit ships well and appeals to the human eye for color as it is a bright clear red. Is good sized and has a fine flavor. Can be eaten right off the tree and makes excellent pies and other desserts. A variety that is hard to beat from any angle. Ripens about July 15.

#### Sour Cherry Tree Prices

	1-6	7-12	13-25	26-50
	Each	Each	Each	Each
2-yr., 4-6 ft. ....	\$2.40	\$2.25	\$2.10	\$1.75
2-yr., 3-5 ft. ....	2.00	1.80	1.60	1.30
2-yr., 2-4 ft. ....	1.75	1.60	1.40	1.10
1-yr., 9/16 in. up ..	2.00	1.80	1.60	1.30
1-yr., 7/16-9/16 in. ....	1.80	1.60	1.40	1.10
1-yr., 5/16-7/16 in. ....	1.50	1.30	1.10	.80

Commercial growers interested in 50 or more trees, please write for our Commercial Price List.

### NAPOLEON CHERRY

#### Sweet White Oxheart

This is a choice sweet, yellow Cherry of the highest quality, known as the White Oxheart. Good for market and canning. Pale yellow with attractive bright red cheek; flesh firm, flavor rich and sweet. Fruit keeps well so fruit dealers like it for the market. Trees productive and come into bearing early. Ripening date July 7-10.

# CHERRIES

Healthy, Heavy Bearing Trees,  
Easy to Grow

## SOUR CHERRIES

### Sour Cherry Tree Prices

	1-6 Each	7-12 Each	13-25 Each	26-50 Each
2-yr., 4-6 ft. ....	\$2.40	\$2.25	\$2.10	\$1.75
2-yr., 3-5 ft. ....	2.00	1.80	1.60	1.30
2-yr., 2-4 ft. ....	1.75	1.60	1.40	1.10
1-yr., 9/16 in. up ..	2.00	1.80	1.60	1.30
1-yr., 7/16-9/16 in. ....	1.80	1.60	1.40	1.10
1-yr., 5/16-7/16 in. ....	1.50	1.30	1.10	.80

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please write for our Commercial Price List.

### ✓ EARLY RICHMOND

Fruit small but good and the earliest of the sours. Unsurpassed for cooking purposes. This is the variety that yields such marvelous crops in the home gardens. Most hardy of all varieties. Uninjured by the coldest winters. Tree slender in growth, with a roundish, spreading habit. Ripens June 25-30.

### ✓ ENGLISH MORELLO

Fruit is handsome in appearance, real tart. Is recognized as the standard late sour Cherry, taking the place of Montmorency after its season is over. Cooking gives the fruit a rich, dark wine color, very attractive in appearance and a pleasant, aromatic flavor. Tree is small, upright spreading with drooping branches. Ripens July 20-30.

## Cherry Collection No. 4

1 Black Tartarian 1 Napoleon 1 Windsor

3 Select, 3-5 Ft. Trees

A \$5.70 Value  
You Save 75c

**Only \$4.95** Postpaid

## SWEET CHERRIES

### Sweet Cherry Prices

	1-6 Each	7-12 Each	13-25 Each	26-50 Each
2-yr., 5-6 ft. ....	\$2.65	\$2.50	\$2.40	\$2.00
2-yr., 4-5 ft. ....	2.30	2.15	1.95	1.65
2-yr., 3-4 ft. ....	1.90	1.75	1.55	1.40
1-yr., 4-5 ft. ....	1.90	1.75	1.55	1.40

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for our Commercial Price List.

Many people often ask which varieties we would suggest for planting. We highly recommend Windsor, Emperor Francis, Napoleon, and Schmidt's Bigarreau. Each one pollinates the other—any combination of two or more gives desired results.

### ✓ BLACK GIANT

Was introduced by Luther Burbank in 1914. Tree is large, vigorous, very productive. Cherries are attractive in size and color; the crop is late, coming in season just before Lambert, which the black fruits resemble. Quality is excellent and less subject to cracking than Bing. One of Burbank's most notable productions.

### ✓ EMPEROR FRANCIS

#### The Queen of All Sweet Cherries

Recognized as one of the newer leading sweet Cherries for home and commercial orchards. This high quality Cherry resembles Napoleon in size and color except that it becomes a little darker. Ripens around July 4th. Sold at same prices as regular varieties.

### Pollination

Sweet Cherries are self-unfruitful, so must be interplanted. Where Napoleon, Bing, Lambert and Emperor Francis are to be planted together, another variety, such as Windsor or Black Tartarian must be added, as the first four will not pollinate each other. The Sour varieties are self-fruitful.

ALL KELLY CHERRY TREES are shipped with a New York State Dept. of Agriculture Certificate, certifying that our trees are budded from healthy trees and guaranteed to be virus free.



Young Cherry Trees in Nursery Row

## 1955-Our 75th Anniversary

Kelly Brothers Nurseries, Inc.,  
North Bend, Penn.  
Dansville, N. Y.

Gentlemen: Enclosed you will find an order for vines and trees, having made room so I could plant them.

I have had a nice crop this year from trees purchased of you several years ago. It includes Peaches, Plums and Apples. Also, I have a fine patch of Raspberries from plants purchased of you. We picked over 90 quarts of Raspberries last spring, and the Indian Summer this fall, were the nicest I have ever seen.

Yours very truly,  
ROBERT C. WALLACE.

Hillsboro, N. H.

Kelly Bros. Nurseries, Inc.  
Dansville, N. H.

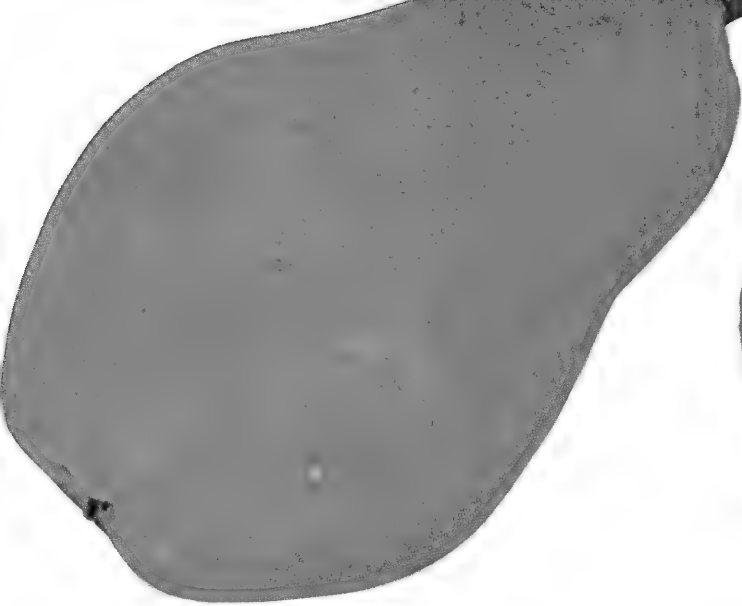
Gentlemen: I have done business with you ever since 1927 or 1928, and have always been very much pleased with your methods and the nursery stock I have received.

This spring I purchased a Purple Wisteria from you. It is a nice large plant and it is covered with blossoms. Some of the sprays of bloom are nearly a foot long.

You always send very fine stock.

Yours truly,  
RUTH E. FARR.





### KELLY'S FAMOUS BARTLETT

There's hardly a person that doesn't know the Bartlett Pear and its qualities, as it is grown in, and is adaptable to all different climates, soils and situations. Fruit is large, golden yellow in color with a reddish bluish on the sunny side. Flesh is tender and juicy, with a delicious musky aroma. Trees are vigorous, attain large size, bear young, live long, and barring frosts or freezes, they bear full crops year after year. Justly the leading commercial Pear—a leader among canning Pears. Sept.-Oct. (Sept. 1st-10th.)



### CLAPP'S FAVORITE

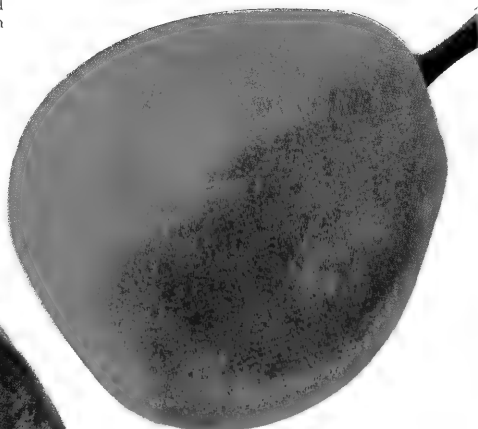
Precedes Bartlett, which it resembles in size, shape, color and flavor. It is the first Pear on the market. Large, pale lemon-yellow fruit with brown dots. Fine texture, juicy, buttery, with a rich, sweet, delicate vinous flavor. Tree hardy and productive. Thrives where other varieties fail. August 15-20.

## KELLY'S DELICIOUS PEARS

#### POLLINATION

Two varieties are needed. The only combination that is cross-incompatible is Seckel and Bartlett. A third variety is needed with the above two.

*1955-Our 75th Anniversary*



### BEURRE BOSCH Quality Pear

A Pear which is rated by all as "very good" or "best." Has a long, tapering neck and a long stem which allows it to sway in heavy winds without dropping. Brownish yellow in color. Flesh is tender, buttery, very juicy, with a rich flavor and pleasing aroma. The tree is a slow grower, but most productive. Oct. to Jan. (Sept. 25-30).

#### PEAR BARGAIN

1 Bartlett, 3-4 ft.  
1 Clapp's Favorite, 3-4 ft.  
2 for \$2.95, Postpaid  
You Save 55c

#### SECKEL

The Pear to plant for eating fresh and pickling. Medium size, skin rich yellowish brown with deep, brownish red cheek when fully ripe. Flesh very fine grained, juicy, sweet and good. Trees resistant to blight, very productive and hardy. Should be planted in fertile soils, not heavy clay. September and October (September 20-25.)

### KELLY'S Top Quality Popular Varieties Northern Grown Trees

#### STANDARD PEAR TREE PRICES

	1-6 Each	7-12 Each	13-25 Each	26-50 Each
2-yr., 5-6 ft. ....	\$2.40	\$2.25	\$2.10	\$1.75
2-yr., 4-5 ft. ....	2.00	1.80	1.60	1.30
2-yr., 3-4 ft. ....	1.75	1.60	1.40	1.10

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# NOW!

## KELLY'S

### 5-FOLD APPLE TREE

*A Revelation in Apple Tree Performance*

## 5 DISTINCT VARIETIES ON 1 APPLE TREE

To meet the request of our customers, we are propagating fruit trees with five varieties budded on top. We offer these "One-Tree Orchards" as a novelty—and for our customers with limited planting space.

**YELLOW DELICIOUS    RED ROME BEAUTY  
CORTLAND    MCINTOSH RED    LODI**

Five delicious varieties of Apples on one tree, providing fresh fruit all season.

**2-Year,  
4 to 6 Ft. Trees  
Plant a One-Tree  
Orchard in Your  
Garden**

# \$3.25

Postpaid

✓ **4-in-1 Apple Tree Combination \$2.75**

### Kelly's Famous ORANGE QUINCE

**FOR DELICIOUS JELLY**

Its pre-eminence as a fruit for jellies and preserves makes the Quince a profitable tree for the fruit grower, the farmer or anyone having a small garden. The Quince tree does not take much room on account of its dwarfish character. It can be grown in bush or tree form. Fruit is large golden yellow and of excellent quality. Makes delicious jells. Ripens early in September. Grows 10 to 15 feet tall. Produces abundantly.

	Each	3 for	10 for
2-yr., 3-4 ft.	\$1.90	\$4.80	\$13.00
2-yr., 4-5 ft.	2.20	5.95	17.50

**Write for prices in larger quantities.**

### DOLGO CRAB

A handsome Red Crab Apple. This is an especially valuable tree because it is equally attractive when in flower or when laden with its abundant brilliant red fruits. Very juicy, jellies easily, and makes a rich ruby-red jelly of beautiful color and excellent flavor. Makes exceptionally good cider. Ripens Sept.

	Each	3 for	10 for
	Postpaid		
3-4 ft.	\$2.00	\$5.75	\$15.00
4-5 ft.	2.25	5.95	17.50

## Other Selected PEARS

**Not Illustrated**

✓ **ANJOU.** This is one of the best late fall and early winter varieties for the market, its season lasting until way into January, even in common storage. Large fruit, green in color, but turning to yellow when ripe, dotted with russet. The yellowish white flesh is firm, but tender, very juicy, sweet, spicy, with a rich, vinous flavor. Trees hardy and vigorous growers, come into bearing early, October to January. (September 25.)

✓ **DUCHESSE D'ANGOULEME.** The fruits excite admiration and wonder by their enormous size. Always known by this characteristic. All dull, greenish yellow spotted russet. Trees are vigorous, hardy and healthy. It is a particularly desirable sort for the Pear fancier. Nov. to Dec. (Sept. 25-30).

✓ **GORHAM.** A seedling of Bartlett and closely resembles its parent in all characteristics and ripens from 3 weeks to a month later. It rivals Bartlett in all good qualities, being as large and handsome and as good or better to eat or to can. Fine canner—introduced by the New York State Experiment Station. (September 10-25).

✓ **SHELDON.** The fruits please both the eye and palate. It is distinctive in its russeted skin with a ruddy cheek. Flesh is juicy and deserves to be called luscious. Flavor is sweet, vinous and highly perfumed. Keeps well and ships well. Trees are vigorous and hardy. October. (September 20).

✓ **TYSON.** The Home Orchardist's First Choice. The quality of this old favorite is far superior to that of commonly grown Pears. The tree is a thrifty grower and very hardy—fruit is medium size, juicy with a spicy, scented sweetness that gives the fruit the charm of individuality. (Ripens late in August).

Gentlemen,

This is to thank you for your promptness in replacing the Robinson Strawberry plants, mentioned in my letter of April 26th.

I always tell my students that it pays to deal with reputable people, and your promptness and courtesy bears this out.

C. LAURIN MARCH, Chairman  
Agriculture Dept., Newtown High School

## PLUM AND PRUNE TREE PRICES

	1-6	7-12	13-25	26-50
	Each	Each	Each	Each
2-yr., 5-6 ft. ....	\$2.40	\$2.25	\$2.10	\$1.75
2-yr., 4-5 ft. ....	2.00	1.80	1.60	1.30
2-yr., 3-4 ft. ....	1.75	1.60	1.40	1.10

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**DAMSON.** Fruit is medium size, dark purple, produced in thick clusters. Good to eat out of hand when fully ripe or after a light frost. One of the best of its kind for culinary purposes. Tree a good grower and very productive. September 24-28.

**ABUNDANCE.** Trees are adaptable to wide range of soils and climates, and bear not only heavily but yearly. Fruit large, very early, amber turning to a rich, bright cherry. Flesh light yellow, very juicy and tender. Freestone. Good for canning. Should be picked when not quite ripe, as it keeps better and taste develops better. August 15-20.

**BURBANK.** Fruit very large, bright reddish purple. Meaty and quite firm. Should be picked before entirely ripe. Best colored fruit attained when thinned on the trees. Trees are low growing, flat-topped with somewhat drooping branches. Productive and vigorous. Good shipper. Aug. 25-30.

**FELLEMBERG PRUNE.** Also known as **Italian** and **German**. Widely known and valuable Plum for dessert, but most esteemed for market and drying for preserves. Fruit is long, oval, purple with a thick bloom. Flesh firm, sweet and pleasant, separating freely from stone. Moderate growth. A great favorite and there is always a good market for them at profitable prices. September 24-26.

**SANTA ROSA.** A very promising Oriental variety. Fruit is handsome, dark reddish purple. Large with very juicy, red flesh of good quality. Tree is large, vigorous and moderately productive. Aug. 20-26.

**REINE CLAUDE or BAVAY'S GREEN GAGE.** Has beautiful fruit, large, pale yellow, marked with red if the crop is thinned and sufficiently exposed to the sun. Trees attain only moderate size in the orchard, are productive and bear regularly. Deserves a place in the home orchard. September 25-30.

**SHIRO.** A Golden Yellow Winner. A very early Plum. Beautiful golden yellow variety. Tree is low growing, hardy, very prolific. Excellent for cooking, canning and dessert use. People who like Plums should be sure to plant this variety. Ripens Aug. 8-15.

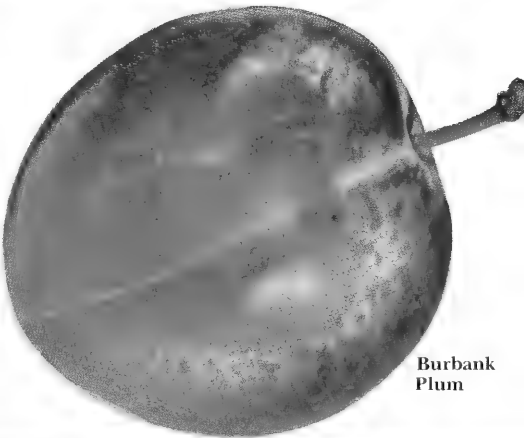
### POLLINATION

With the exception of the Prunes, Fellemberg, German, Stanley, etc., which are self-fertile, Plums should be interplanted to insure a set of fruit—European varieties for pollinating that class and Oriental sorts for those varieties.

**Abundance, Burbank** and **Santa Rosa** are Oriental varieties, balance are European varieties.



Shiro Plum

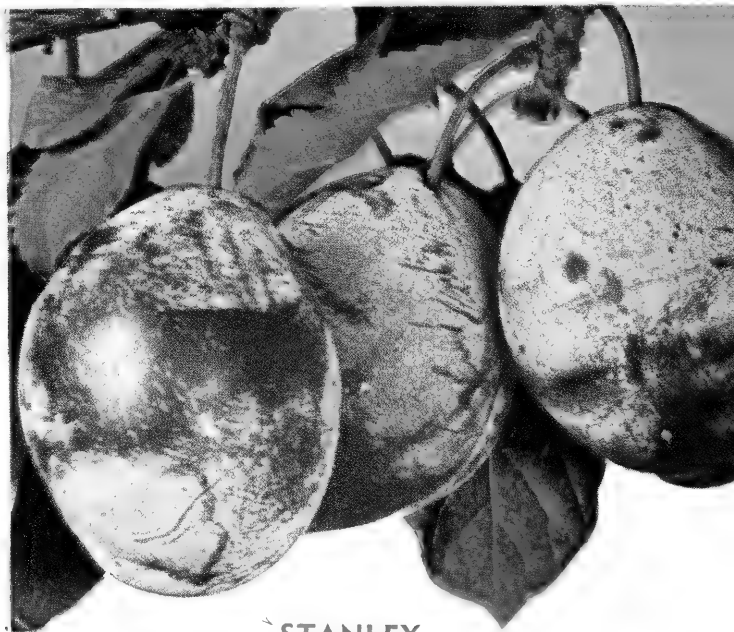


Burbank Plum



### BRADSHAW PLUM

A very large and fine early Plum. Attractive, dark violet skin with yellow flesh. Very juicy; excellent for dessert use and for canning. The tree is hardy, and a vigorous grower. Especially desirable because of its ability to produce heavy crops of delicious fruit annually. Bradshaw is recommended for the home orchard as well as for the commercial grower. September 5-10.



### STANLEY

A Better Kelly Prune

The best for commercial planting or home use. Bears fruit in 3 years and ripens 10 days earlier than other varieties. Exceptionally productive. Fruit large, deep bluish purple, firm and sweet; of excellent flavor. Introduced by the New York State Experiment Station, and is becoming a valuable commercial variety. Bears annually. Midseason. September 20-25. Same price as other Prune trees.



# Choice Rhubarb



**VALENTINE.** Newest and best of the red Rhubarbs. It is sweetest of all, requiring the least sugar. Makes delicious pies and bright red sauce. Excellent for home use and freezing. Out of 25 varieties tested in Canada, "Valentine" rated highest. Color was an even bright red; texture smooth and tender. Flavor pleasing with a slightly tart after-taste. **\$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.85; 6 for \$4.85, postpaid.**

**RUBY RED.** Another new red Rhubarb introduced from Canada. The stalks are intensely red, even the flesh is red. Rhubarb sauce made from Ruby is as red as Strawberry sauce. Skin so tender it can be cooked with the stalk. Prolific yielder. **85c each; 3 for \$2.45; 6 for \$4.50, postpaid.**

**CANADA RED.** The reddest of all Rhubarbs. Has large, tender, juicy stalks that are rich red all the way to the heart and even to the midribs in the leaves. Skin so tender you need not peel it. Canada Red, a heavy producer, can be used throughout the season. **\$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.85; 6 for \$4.85, postpaid.**

## NEW RED LEAF PEACH

*The Sensational New Ornamental*

Bright red foliage appears early in the spring, changing gradually to deep maroon towards fall. Deep rose blossoms contrast beautifully with the colorful foliage. This sensational tree produces a full crop of small perfectly round Peaches, about 1½ inches in diameter. Fruits have an over-all red color slightly splotted, and ripen quite late. **3-4 ft., \$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.75. 4-5 ft., \$2.25 each; 2 for \$4.25, postpaid.**



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FRESH CUT, HOME GROWN

ASPARAGUS  
Has No Equal  
for Flavor!

You'll be surprised how easy it is to grow Asparagus sufficient for a family of four or five. It is very healthful, rich in minerals and vitamins.

**MARY WASHINGTON.** The Outstanding Variety. This is, without doubt, the best variety at this time. It is a very strong grower, stalk giant size, green color, rich and tender. In addition to being very productive it is rust-resistant and a bed will last for years.

### PRICES ASPARAGUS ROOTS

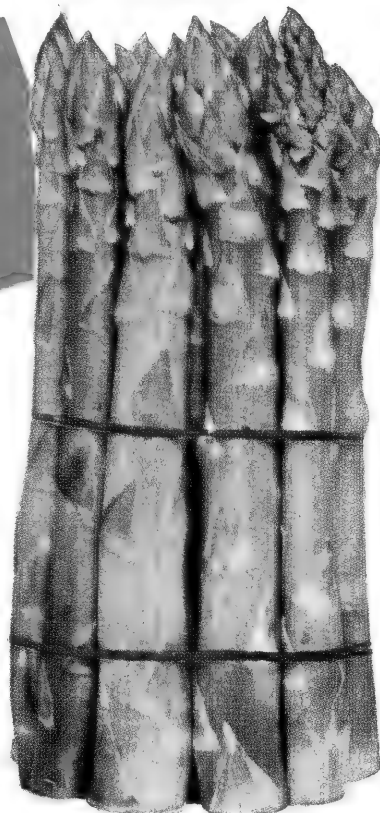
2-Year, No. 1 Plants

25 for	\$ 2.25
50 for	3.75
100 for	6.00
250 for	12.00

Postpaid

500 for	18.75
750 for	24.75
1000 for	30.00

Express, Not Prepaid



NEW!

## CHINESE CHESTNUT

A FINE LAWN TREE • FRUIT SO GOOD TO EAT

### Hardy, Blight Resistant

These new blight resistant trees will bear nuts two years after planting. They are a fast growing tree and an ideal plant to take the place of the old-fashioned American Chestnut that we all remember from our childhood days. The fruit is fully as delicious as the native American Chestnut and slightly larger in size. Grows to 35 ft. tall. Best crops are insured by planting two or more trees for pollination.

### Prices

	Each	2 for		Each	2 for
18-24 in.	\$2.00	\$3.75	3-4 ft.	\$3.25	\$5.95
2- 3 ft.	2.75	4.95	4-5 ft.	3.95	7.75
Postpaid					



## FOR BETTER FRUITS AND LARGER CROPS



Prof. George L. Slate

# HELPFUL HINTS

Professor George L. Slate is one of the country's leading "Small Fruit Specialists." He has supervised the breeding work that resulted in the introduction of such new varieties as September, Milton and Indian Summer Raspberries, Hedrick Blackberry, several varieties of Strawberries and many other plants.

weaker canes removed, leaving the canes spaced about 6 inches apart in a row a foot wide. Black and purple Raspberries are treated in a different manner. In June when the new shoots of black Raspberries are 18 to 24 inches high they are pinched off to induce branching. Purple Raspberries are pinched 6 inches higher. Blackberries are pinched at 3 feet. Do this as soon as the required height is reached in early June. The following spring cut the branches back to 8 to 10 inches for the black Raspberries, 10 to 15 inches for the purple Raspberries, and 15 to 18 inches for the Blackberries.

Fall bearing red Raspberries, such as Indian Summer, are pruned the same as other red Raspberries.

Blackberries that bloom, but produce no fruit or only poorly developed berries, should be sprayed just before the bloom with DDT at the rate of one pound of actual DDT to 100 gallons of water.

## RASPBERRIES and BLACKBERRIES

(See pages 36 and 37.)

Raspberries and Blackberries are easily grown fruits if their cultural requirements are met. An open, airy situation is best and the plants should be away from the root competition and shade of tall trees, but may be grown among the smaller fruit trees in the home garden. Most good farm and garden soils are suitable if not very heavy or very light, and are well drained so that water does not stand on or near the surface more than a few hours during the growing season. Keep black and purple Raspberries off the ground that has grown Tomatoes, Peppers, Eggplants or Potatoes the past two or three years. Get rid of old run-out Raspberries nearby to prevent disease spreading into the new planting.

### Preparing the Soil

Fit the land thoroughly as for vegetables—plowing under a green crop or stable manure if the soil has been under constant cultivation. Red Raspberries and Blackberries may be planted in late fall or early spring, but fall planted plants should be mounded up to prevent them from heaving out during the winter. Tip plants of black and purple Raspberries should be planted in the spring. Space Raspberries in home garden 7 feet between rows and 2 feet between red Raspberries in the row, and 3 feet between black and purple varieties in the row. Set the plants the same depth they grew previously and be sure the soil is packed tightly so that the plant will resist a strong tug without loosening.

### Cultivation

Weeds must be kept down by cultivation or mulching. Cultivation should be shallow and frequent enough to keep down weeds. Mulching is especially valuable in dry seasons. Straw, spoiled hay, weeds, lawn clippings, peat and sawdust are all suitable. When sawdust is used an extra feeding with a nitrogenous fertilizer is advisable. Cultivation should be discontinued after the crop is off or about August first and the weeds allowed to grow or buckwheat may be sown between the rows to check cane growth and harden the plants off for winter.

### Fertilization

For fertilizers after the first year any of the following materials may be applied in early spring:

- Nitrate of Soda,  $\frac{3}{4}$  lb. per 100 sq. ft.
- Ammonium Nitrate,  $\frac{3}{8}$  lb. per 100 sq. ft.
- Stable Manure, 3 bus. per 100 sq. ft.
- Poultry Manure, 1 bu. per 100 sq. ft.

On soils low in fertility, especially sands or gravels, or eroded soils, supplement the nitrates with a 10-10-10 fertilizer at the rate of 1 lb. to 100 sq. ft. If new growth is too rank and winter-kills, reduce or discontinue the manure until lessened growth indicates its need.

Red Raspberries and Blackberries produce many suckers which must be kept within bounds. When cultivating or hoeing, restrict the row to one foot in width by removing all suckers coming up between the rows.

Raspberries and Blackberries must be pruned each year. The canes are biennial; they grow one season, bear fruit the second season and then die. After the crop is harvested the canes which bore it are cut out, leaving behind the current season canes to fruit the following year. In the spring the red Raspberry canes are cut back to a height of 4 to 5 feet, depending on the variety, and the

## STRAWBERRIES

(See pages 38, 39, and 40.)

Strawberries are one of the best home garden fruits, being valuable for dessert, freezing and jam, and unusually high in Vitamin C, outranking even the citrus fruits in that respect.

### Location of Bed

The site should be sunny, away from the shade and roots of large trees, although interplanting among young fruit trees is satisfactory. The soil should be fertile, well drained and free from quack grass and other perennial weeds. Soils that will grow good vegetables are suitable for Strawberries, but the berries should not be planted where Tomatoes, Peppers, Eggplants or Potatoes have been grown for several years, as these may infect the soil with a wilt disease that is destructive to Strawberries. Keep the Strawberries a few feet away from the place where these vegetables have been grown. Grass sods may have white grubs and should be avoided until they have been cultivated two years. Manure or ploughing under a legume sod is good preparation.

### Planting Time

Early spring, not August, is the time to set Strawberries. Space the plants 18 to 24 inches apart in rows  $3\frac{1}{2}$  feet apart. The crown or solid center of the plant should be set even with the surface of the ground and the soil firmed so tightly against the roots by pressure of the foot that the plant will resist a strong tug without loosening. After the runners form, space them around the mother plants so that they are about 6 inches from each other and the row is 18 inches wide. Remove as weeds runners coming after the row is filled out. The first runners are the most productive.

### Fertilizing

Manure at the rate of 3 to 6 bushels to 100 square feet at the time the ground is fitted will provide adequate fertility. Lacking manure, a 10-10-10 fertilizer may be worked in before planting, or applied as a side dressing at the first hoeing. A pound to 100 square feet is about right.

A nitrogenous fertilizer such as nitrate of soda,  $\frac{1}{2}$  pound to 100 square feet, or ammonium nitrate at half that rate may be broadcast over the plants in late August when the foliage is dry, and immediately brushed off with a broom or piece of brush. Fertilizer should not be applied to the bed in the spring of the fruiting year.

Keep weeds out of the bed at all times, and the soil mellow to facilitate the rooting of runners.

Everbearing Strawberries grown in hills in beds of 4 rows spaced 12-15 inches apart each way with a 2-foot alley between beds and mulched with sawdust are much more productive than when grown in matted rows. All runners should be removed.



*Our 75th Anniversary*

# ON SMALL FRUIT GROWING

## Winter Protection

In the fall, usually about mid-November and before temperatures get below 18-20° F. above zero, the plants should be mulched with straw to a depth of about 3 inches. In the spring, early April, just as the new leaves are starting from the crown, remove part of the straw to the space between the rows, leaving a thin covering over the plants for the leaves and blossoms to grow through and the fruit to rest on later.

Weed the bed about blossoming time if necessary. Do not fertilize the bed in the spring of the bearing year unless the soil is very poor, or the bed has not been mulched.

If the rainfall is less than one inch a week, irrigation may increase the crop. Apply enough water to equal an inch of rain per week. Over-watering may cause rotting of the berries.

## GRAPES

(See pages 32 and 33.)

Grapes should be grown in an open, airy situation to lessen injury from fungous diseases. Slopes are preferable as frosts are later than in low spots. Late varieties ripen better on the south side of a building or solid fence. The soil must be well drained.

## Planting

Either one or two-year plants are suitable and may be set either in the fall or spring, but fall-set plants should be mounded up the first winter. Space vines 8 feet apart. Vines may be trained to arbors, porches or a trellis of two wires, one 2½ feet above the ground, the upper 2 feet above the lower. Posts about 25 feet apart with end posts braced.

## Training

With Kniffen system of training the vine has a trunk to top wire and an arm in each direction on both wires. Newly set vines are cut back to one or two buds. New shoot is staked up to form a trunk and when it reaches top wire is pinched off and laterals led out, one along each top wire. The next year two laterals are led along the lower wires, the others, being rubbed off. Thereafter, at the annual pruning in the spring leave a strong lateral along each wire and remove other canes. Laterals should have 6 to 10 buds each. Leave more buds on vigorous vines, fewer on weak vines. If vigorous vines bloom well but set light crops, leave more buds next year. If vines overload and fruit fails to ripen well leave fewer buds next year. Grapes should not be summer pruned.

Fertilize with ammonium nitrate or nitrate of soda at rate of one-fourth to one-half pound per vine or stable manure. Strong growing vines do not need fertilizing. Keep down weeds until August with cultivation or mulch.

## RHUBARB

(See page 29.)

Rhubarb is highly prized for sauce and pies in the spring before other fruits and vegetables are ready. Rich soils are essential and a heavy application of manure should be made in advance of planting. An annual application of manure, or commercial fertilizer, is desirable. Use manure at the rate of 3 to 6 bushels to 100 square feet, or 10-10-10 fertilizer plus 1 pound of nitrate of soda, or one-half pound of ammonium nitrate for the same area. Plant the roots in early spring 3 to 4 inches deep and 3 feet apart in the row, and at one side of the garden as they last for many years. Clean cultivate or mulch, as vigorous growth means high yields and tender stalks. Pull only a few stalks the second year, but thereafter a full crop may be harvested for about two months each spring.

Early Rhubarb may be had by covering a hill with a sash over a box just before growth starts. Rhubarb may be forced in a box of soil in the cellar during the winter if the roots are brought in after experiencing a hard freeze.

## CURRENTS and GOOSEBERRIES

(See page 37.)

Currents and Gooseberries are both valuable home garden fruits that should be grown much more than at present. Both yield heavy crops annually and have many uses in the kitchen. They will grow in the sun or in the shade of the north side of a building or fence and may be successfully interplanted between young fruit trees or grape vines.

Well drained fertile soils, preferably rather heavy in texture, are best, but the lighter types will do if heavily fertilized and mulched in time of drought. They may be planted in late fall or early spring, and spaced 3 feet apart in the row. At planting time cut the canes back to 6 or 8 inches. Cultivate shallowly, or mulch to keep down weeds.

Straw manure may be applied to a depth of 2 or 3 inches to provide fertility and act as a mulch. If manure is not available, apply about 4 ounces of nitrate of soda or 2 ounces of ammonium nitrate per plant in early spring, but not applying any the year the plants are set. On light soils a complete fertilizer may be needed in addition to the above, in which case use one-half pound of 5-10-5 formula to each plant.

Currents and Gooseberries in good vigor produce so many canes that the bushes soon become too crowded. Pruning consists of removing all canes over three years old and thinning out the weaker remaining canes so that the pruned bush consists of 9 to 10 canes evenly divided between 1, 2 and 3 year-old wood.

Currents for jelly should be picked before fully ripe as there is more pectin at that time. Gooseberries make an excellent jam and jelly and may be used green for pies and sauce when two-thirds grown.

## ASPARAGUS

(See page 29.)

Asparagus is an easily grown perennial that is ready to use in early spring. The beds last 15 to 20 years and should be set at one side of the garden. Set one-year-old roots 18 inches apart in a trench 4 to 6 inches deep and 4 feet apart if more than one row. Cover the roots at first with only two inches of soil, filling in gradually when cultivating. Begin cutting the third season and cut for one month. In the following years the bed may be cut for two months. Fertilize with a complete fertilizer and control weeds. If beetles feed on foliage dust with rotenone.

## BLUEBERRIES

(See page 21.)

Blueberries are a valuable home garden and commercial fruit and deserve a place in every home garden with soils that are acid, or can be made acid. Clay soils are not suitable for Blueberries.

### Acid Soil Required

Acid soils are essential for Blueberries. If in doubt, have the soil tested by the Farm Bureau, and if the pH is under 5.5, Blueberries may be planted. If over 5.0, spade in aluminum sulphate as follows to each 100 sq. ft. Aluminum sulphate listed on page 20.

If present pH on your soil is	To change to pH of 4.5 use: on sandy soils	On loam soils
5.0	2.4 lbs.	7.2 lbs.
5.5	4.8 lbs.	8.3 lbs.
6.0	7.2 lbs.	21.0 lbs.
6.5	9.0 lbs.	27.6 lbs.
7.0	11.4 lbs.	34.8 lbs.

### Location

Blueberries grow much better and on drier sites when mulched than when cultivated. Sawdust of any kind and age is ideal mulching material, but peat and other materials except legumes, will do. Twice as much nitrogen is necessary during the first few years of a sawdust mulch.

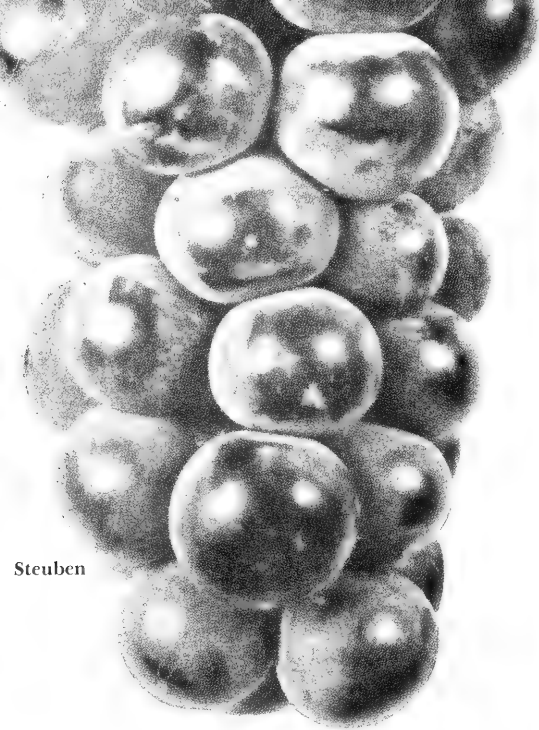
### Fertilization

Sulphate of ammonia is the best material for fertilizing Blueberries. Beginning with the second spring after planting, apply it at the rate of 2 ounces per plant, doubling this if a sawdust mulch is used. Scatter the fertilizer over the surface of the ground from one-half to three feet from the center of the bush. Increase the application two ounces each year until mature plants five or six years old are receiving three-quarters of a pound per year.

### Pruning

Pruning is necessary after the third year to prevent overbearing and to maintain berry size. Remove low spreading branches near the ground, at least one old cane each year, and remove the weaker new canes, leaving two or three of the stronger to gradually renew the bushes. A few bushes near buildings may need a cheesecloth cover to prevent birds from taking the berries.





# Kelly's Heavy Rooted Hardy GRAPES

## ROMULUS SEEDLESS

New—First Time Offered

A sister of the Interlaken. (They were both developed at the N. Y. State Experiment Station.) We can recommend this new variety to extend your Grape season. Ripens about September 15th or 2 to 3 weeks after Interlaken Seedless.

Flavor, quality, size of berries and clusters very closely resemble the illustration of Interlaken Seedless on this page. **Select vines, \$1.75 each; 2 for \$3.25, postpaid.**

## The Great New INTERLAKEN SEEDLESS GRAPE

A California seedless type that is hardy in the North.

**Origin:** The new Interlaken Seedless originated at the Agriculture Experiment Station at Geneva, New York, after 30 years of experimenting and close breeding. It was developed from crossing the Thompson Seedless, a California Grape, with our own Ontario and an excellent golden seedless Grape was developed.

**Hardiness:** It has proven hardy in temperature to 15° and no material harm has been noticed until after temperatures have reached 20° or below.

**Quality:** The fruit is very sweet and blends with the flavors of both its parents, but is even better than the Thompson Seedless. The flesh is meaty and crisp and of excellent texture. The cluster of berries is of medium size, golden amber color and with a tangy flavor. It ripens a full month before Concord, and due to its hardiness and excellent qualities promises to become one of the leading fresh fruit Grapes here in the North. Ripens about August 30th or earlier. **Selected 2-year vines, \$1.75 each; 2 for \$3.25, postpaid.**

## STEUBEN, Blue-Black

A New Creation of the New York State Experiment Station

Never before have we grown a Grape of such exquisite flavor. Melting, tender, sweet with a delicate perfume-like flavor. Grows huge, perfectly formed, long slender clusters. Fruit is of outstanding quality, and the vine very hardy. Produced a full crop after 20 below zero. No spraying necessary—it is absolutely free from rot and mildew in our planting. Ripens a few days before Concord, but keeps well until Christmas. The greatest blue Grape ever grown. Supply limited—order early. **Selected 2-yr. vines, \$1.75 each; 2 for \$3.25, postpaid.**



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- 1 Interlaken Seedless
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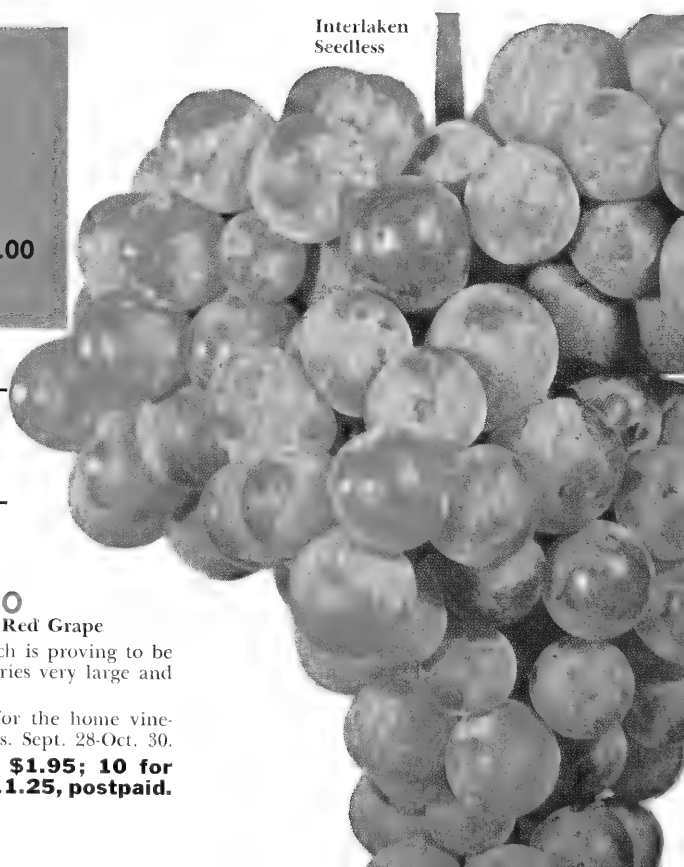
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### ← CACO Large Sweet Red Grape

A new Grape which is proving to be a great favorite. Berries very large and sweet.

A dandy variety for the home vineyard or Grape trellis. Sept. 28-Oct. 30. **75c each; 3 for \$1.95; 10 for \$5.45; 25 for \$11.25, postpaid.**

Interlaken  
Seedless





# GRAPES

**Selected Varieties for Flavor, Size and Yield**



## CONCORD (Blue)

The leading commercial Grape. Color blue-black; berries and bunches large. Hardy, productive, and an excellent shipper. Succeeds over large area. Excellent for Grape juice. September 25 to 30. **75c each; 3 for \$1.95; 10 for \$5.45; 25 for \$11.25; 50 for \$17.50; 100 for \$29.75, postpaid.**

## OLD FAVORITES

### DELAWARE (Red)

Bunches and berries small. Light red. Unusually sweet and delicious. One of the best red varieties. September 20. **75c each; 3 for \$1.95, postpaid.**

### FREDONIA (Black) A Fine Sweet Grape

The leading early black Grape. An introduction of the New York State Experiment Station. Plant is a strong, healthy grower. Clusters medium in size. Berries large and juicy. September 5-10. **75c each; 3 for \$1.95, postpaid.**

### NIAGARA (White)

The most popular white Grape. Bunches and berries extra large. Vigorous, productive and a good keeper. September 25-30. **75c each; 3 for \$1.95, postpaid.**

### PORTLAND (White)

Holds first place among Grapes as an early white variety. Vine is hardy, healthy and productive. Bunch and berries largest of all white Grapes. September 1-8. **75c each; 3 for \$1.95, postpaid.**

## EASY TO CARE FOR—LAST A LIFETIME

Kelly's Grape Vines last a lifetime. Plant our selected plants. Guaranteed to be the finest plants grown. Easy to grow, adapted for a wide range of soil and climate. Prolific bearers. Fruit ideal for dessert, jelly, jam or juice. Full planting instructions with each order.

Quantity Rate Prices on the Following Varieties:

	Caco	Fredonia	
	Concord	Niagara	
	Delaware	Portland	
Each .....	\$0.75	25 for .....	\$11.25
3 for .....	1.95	50 for .....	17.50
10 for .....	5.45	100 for .....	29.75
			Postpaid

## NEW EXTRA CHOICE GRAPES

### SEIBEL 9110 - New French Hybrid

Developed in France, this Grape is a beautiful golden yellow. Because of its excellent dessert qualities and early fruiting habit, we recommend that this variety be added to your planting. It is common for 2-year vines in the nursery to bear fruit. It has crisp texture and its good eating quality makes it a fine variety for roadside sales. Ripens in western New York about Sept. 15th. **2-yr. select vines, \$1.75 each; 2 for \$3.25, postpaid.**

### GOLDEN MUSCAT

California Type Grape

Wonderful new golden yellow Grape. For home use and roadside market it is one of the best. Possesses rich golden color and fine Muscat aroma of European Muscat. Vine is vigorous, productive. The clusters are very large and compact. Berries are large, juicy, sweet and tender. Oct. 5-10. **Selected, 2-yr. vines: \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75, postpaid.**

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Best new, early Grape. Desirable for home and commercial planting. Resembles Concord, but much sweeter and very juicy. Aug. 28-Sept. 2. We highly recommend this variety. Vine is heavy producer and vigorous in growth. **Selected, 2-yr. vines: \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.85, postpaid.**

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## HOME GARDEN Grape Special

RED, WHITE and BLUE  
GRAPE COLLECTION No. 5

1 Concord    1 Caco    1 Portland  
1 Golden Muscat    1 Delaware

ALL 5, 2-Yr., No. 1 Plants,

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# Enjoy Kelly's Quality Peaches - Grown By Yourself

Peaches can be grown on any soil that will produce the average yield of farm crops and are especially adapted to the lighter soils. If properly cared for the trees are sure to bring in a handsome return on your investment. Our trees are of the best quality and sure to grow.

Dates after each description indicate approximate ripening season in Western New York. Season varies in different sections of the East, but this will give you an approximate idea when to expect the fruit to be ripe.

➤ **BELLE OF GEORGIA.** Large, attractive, white-fleshed Peach. Red cheek. Hardy and productive. Freestone. September 3-7.

➤ **CHAMPION.** Large, creamy white, with red cheek. Excellent quality. Good shipper. Hardy and productive. Freestone. September 5-8.

➤ **J. H. HALE.** An extra large Peach, yellow overlaid with crimson. Flesh golden yellow, of delicious flavor. An excellent shipper. A fine commercial variety. Prolific when cross pollinized with some other variety. All of the varieties offered in this catalog are suitable for planting with Hale. Freestone. September 17-21.

➤ **RIO-OSO-GEM.** An outstanding commercial variety. A Hale type Peach, following Elberta 7 to 10 days. Fruit large, brilliant red color. Flesh firm and excellent flavor. Fine for freezing, canning and other uses.

➤ **SULLIVAN ELBERTA.** Midseason, ripening one week before Elberta. Fruits large. Similar to Elberta in all respects except earlier ripening. One of the most extensively planted varieties in the past few years, especially in the Southeast.

➤ **VALIANT.** Large, yellow freestone. Juicy, very good quality. Excellent producer and fine canner. Quite hardy in bud. An introduction from Canada. August 28-September 3.

➤ **VEDETTE.** Ripens a few days before Valiant and 3 weeks before Elberta. Fruit is large, roundish-oval, yellow-fleshed, and a freestone. Superior quality and color. August 25-30.

➤ **VETERAN.** Large, round, yellow-fleshed fruit. Freestone. Since it ripens a few days later than Valiant, it makes a desirable sort to follow that variety. Hardier in bud than most varieties. Ideal for cold sections. August 30-September 4.

## PEACH ORCHARD COLLECTION

1 Elberta                      1 Golden Jubilee

1 Hale-Haven

**3** 3-4 ft. trees, Only \$3.25, Postpaid  
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➤ **JERSEYLAND.** Very early, ripening about 5 weeks before Elberta. Fruits medium-sized, round. Skin solid red. Flesh yellow, usually free when ripe, firm. Promising for local marketing and commercial production.

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➤ **SUNHIGH.** (New Jersey Introduction.) Good quality. Yellow flesh. Hardy. Ripens just ahead of Goldencrest.

➤ **SUMMERCREST.** (New Jersey Introduction.) Yellow freestone. Ripens just before Elberta.

**POLLINATION:** With the exception of **J. H. Hale**, all varieties we offer are self-fruitful.

## PEACH TREE PRICES

	1-6	7-12	13-25	26-50
	Each	Each	Each	Each
1-yr., 5-6 ft.	.....\$2.00	\$1.85	\$1.65	\$1.45
1-yr., 4-5 ft.	.....1.60	1.50	1.30	1.10
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Young Peach Trees in Nursery Row

# KELLY'S PEACHES

## KELLY'S ELBERTA

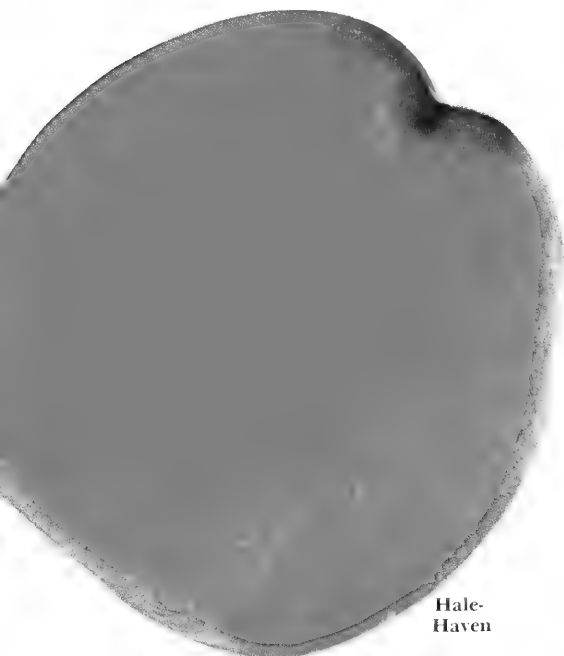
Leader of all Peaches and the greatest commercial variety on the market; 50% of the Peaches planted are Elberta. A beautiful Peach of good quality; not only the best orchard variety but also valuable for planting in the garden. Elberta is hardier in bud than many varieties, therefore a more uniform cropper. It is large, yellow with red check, juicy, high flavor. Flesh yellow; freestone. September 15-20.



Elberta

## Kelly's Hale-Haven

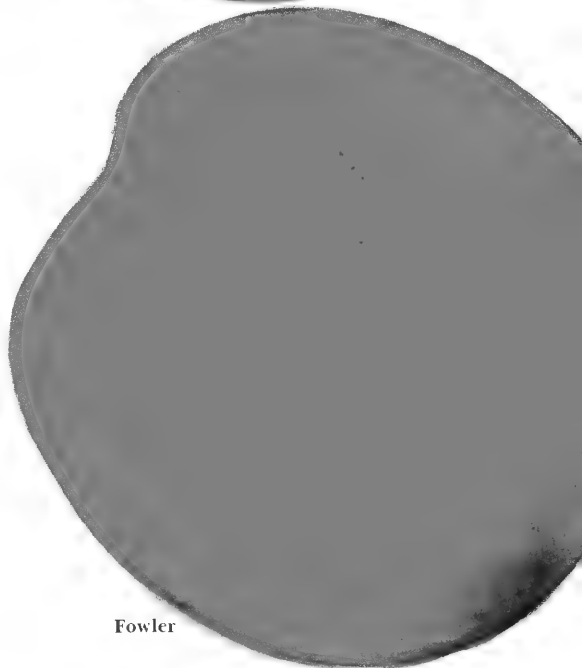
A marvelous Peach, result of crossing the famous J. H. Hale with South Haven. A large, beautifully colored, yellow-fleshed Peach. Ripens approximately 10 days to 2 weeks ahead of Elberta. Perfect freestone; strong grower. Good shipper, and a prolific, heavy bearer. The tree is hardy and fruit is of the highest quality. Should be in every planting. September 1-5.



Hale-Haven

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Fowler

## Kelly's Red Haven

A new, early Peach, thoroughly tested and found highly satisfactory. Introduced by the South Haven Experiment Station, it has the fine flavor of the South Haven and the Hale-Haven. When other early Peaches are still green, this Peach is a bright red and ready to ship before it is fully ripe. A Peach to plant for real profit. Hardy. Freestone. Self-pollenizing and a prolific yielder. August 20-25.



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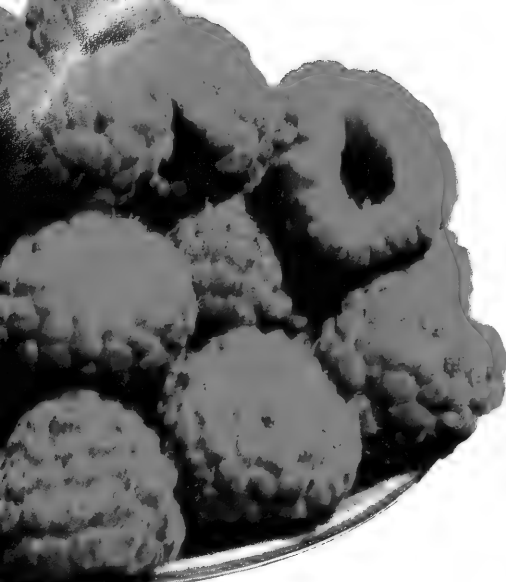
## Kelly's Golden Jubilee

**The Sensational Peach**  
We recommend this New Jersey Experiment Station introduction. It's a real money maker. Quite hardy, resists excessive cold. Sure cropper, after severe winters and heavy frosts. **Golden Jubilee** is without equal as an early, large yellow freestone of highest quality. Flesh is yellow, tender, juicy and sweet. August 20-25.



Golden Jubilee





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The leading Red Raspberry in all parts of the country. Latham is free from insects and diseases and multiplies rapidly. Berries are large, plump, juicy, free from seediness and full of delicious flavor. Very hardy; cold weather seems to have no effect on its bearing ability. Ripens July 1-10.

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## AMBER RASPBERRY

First Time Offered

Introduced by the New York State Experiment Station. We have now built up stock sufficient to offer this new variety for the first time.

Its beautiful amber color has novelty appeal in the fruit markets and roadside stands. Ripens mid-July, extends the season for home-grown Raspberries.

The berries are as large as any other Raspberry, not crumbly, flavor is sweet and quality of the best.

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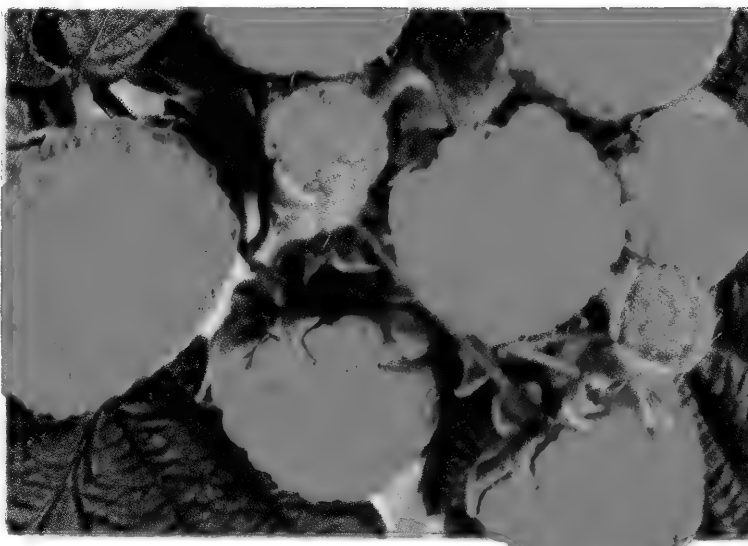
New Red Raspberry introduced by the New York State Experiment Station. The summer crop ripens early in July; the autumn crop starts early in September and continues until a severe frost. Plant is hardy and a vigorous grower, bears heavy crops.

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## September NEWEST Everbearing Raspberry

Now you can plant a Raspberry that will produce an abundant crop in June and a crop of equal size in September. Fruit comes earlier and is larger, and of better quality than any other Raspberry.

Developed and introduced by Prof. George L. Slate of the New York State Experiment Station. (See pages 30 and 31.) This station has long been known for its leadership in developing new and successful fruits.

Ripens 2 to 4 weeks ahead of other varieties in the fall. The berries are firm and don't crumble.

Order the New Raspberry Today—Our Supply is Definitely Limited.

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12 plants for .....	\$ 3.95	100 plants for .....	\$26.75
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## KELLY'S HEAVY BEARING

# BLACKBERRIES

## ✓ HEDRICK

Here's a new Blackberry introduced by Dr. Geo. L. Slate at the New York Experiment Station. Bound to become the country's leading Blackberry. For that reason, intensive breeding work has been going on at the New York State Experiment Station to improve Blackberries. The berries are somewhat larger than Eldorado, without core and of good quality. Ripens in Western New York during the latter part of July. We would suggest that you try this new variety. For home use and commercial production, there is a need for good Blackberries.

1-Yr., No. 1 Plants		Postpaid		Not Postpaid	
6 for	\$1.95	50 for	\$13.50	500 for	\$87.50
12 for	3.75	100 for	21.50		
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## ✓ BAILEY

Introduced in 1950 by the New York State Experiment Station, but just now available in quantity. The berries are large, attractive, moderately firm, sub-acid and of good quality. Recommended for trial for market and for the home garden. Plants tall, vigorous, hardy and productive. Ripens midseason and a few days later than Hedrick.

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6 for	\$1.95	50 for	\$13.50	500 for	\$87.50
12 for	3.75	100 for	21.50		
25 for	7.25	250 for	46.50		

## RASPBERRIES—Continued

The leading purple Raspberry. Recently introduced by the New York State Experiment Station. Berries are very large, firm, sprightly and good in quality. The plants are very vigorous, very productive, and hardy. Yields good crop every year; it ripens shortly after Latham, July 10-12.

Postpaid		Not Postpaid	
10 for	\$2.75	100 for	\$14.95
25 for	4.95	250 for	30.95
50 for	8.50		
500 for	\$48.85	1000 for	\$85.00

## ✓ The Giant MORRISON THE GIANT NEW BLACK RASPBERRY

This variety, which originated in Northern Ohio, is highly praised by growers everywhere. Extremely large, shiny jet-black berries of fine flavor; excellent for market and home use. The strong, vigorous vines are very productive and free from disease and very long lived. Recommend this variety without reservation to those who want the best black Raspberry.

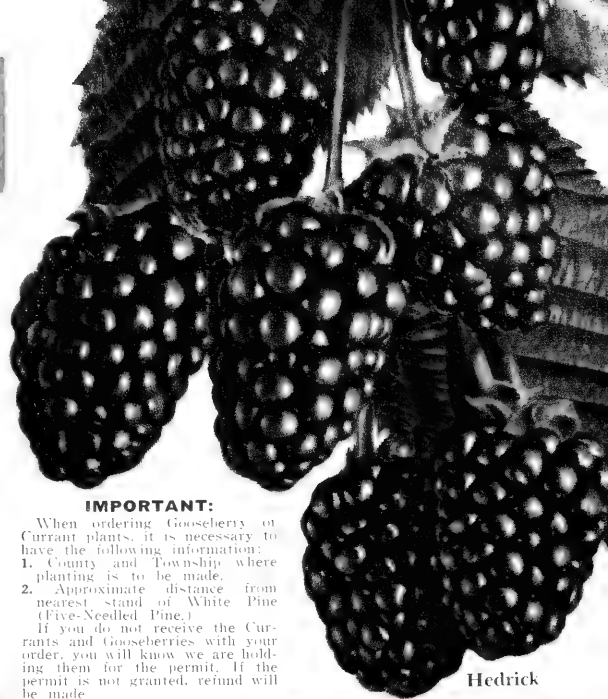
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25 for	4.95	250 for	30.95
50 for	8.50		
500 for	\$48.85	1000 for	\$85.00

## ✓ CUMBERLAND THE LEADING LATE BLACKCAP

Produces large, jet-black fruit, firm and of excellent quality. Starts to ripen in mid-season, continuing for several weeks. Fruit is large, plump, sweet and juicy with a true "Blackcap" flavor all its own. Free from seediness and crumbling and an ideal shipper. The most popular of all black varieties wherever Blackcaps are grown, July 5-10.

Postpaid		Not Postpaid	
10 for	\$2.35	100 for	\$11.95
25 for	4.25	250 for	25.95
50 for	6.95		
500 for	\$40.25	1000 for	\$70.00

Cumberland



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### IMPORTANT:

When ordering Gooseberry or Currant plants, it is necessary to have the following information:

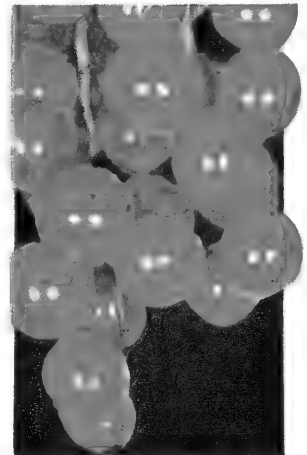
1. County and Township where planting is to be made.
2. Approximate distance from nearest stand of White Pine (Five-Needled Pine.)

If you do not receive the Currants and Gooseberries with your order, you will know we are holding them for the permit. If the permit is not granted, refund will be made.

## CURRENTS

**RED LAKE.** The new, giant red Currant. A pleasure to pick. Berries are large, dark red in color, and on long, well filled branches. Very hardy. Ripens over a long season. Long stems make picking easy. **Select, No. 1 plants, 70c each; 3 for \$1.80; 10 for \$5.50; 25 for \$13.25, postpaid.**

**WILDER.** Unsurpassed commercial sort. Bunches and berries very large, bright, attractive red, of excellent quality. **Strong, 2-yr. bushes, 70c each; 3 for \$1.80; 10 for \$5.50; 25 for \$13.25, postpaid.**



**Strong Grower . . . Delicious Fruit**  
**DOWNING.** A medium size, whitish green Gooseberry of good quality. Strong, upright grower and quite prolific, midseason, July 10 to 15.  
**POORMAN.** Largest fruit of the American Gooseberries. Attractive red. Prefers heavy soil. Bush very vigorous. Highest quality of any Gooseberry.  
**PIXWELL.** A new variety considered the best on the market today. A very heavy bearer with the berries being a light green that turns to pink when fully ripe. Will bear the next year after planting.  
**Selected, 2-yr. plants, \$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.25, Postpaid.**

## ✓ THORNLESS BOYSENBERRY

Giant Size—Delicious Flavor

Canes smooth as velvet. Ripens 10 days to 2 weeks earlier than the common Boysenberry. The thornless strain retains all the good characteristics of its parent, including its rugged, thrifty growth. You will enjoy picking these large, juicy berries without a chance of scratching your hands. **Select plants, 3 for \$1.15; 6 for \$2.05; 10 for \$2.55; 25 for \$4.65, postpaid.**





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Anniversary*



## ✓ **RED RICH** *Strawberry*



**The Champion of All Everbearing Strawberries**

Plant Patent No. 993

Here at last is the Strawberry that's a real sensation. A one-in-a-million chance seedling. Enjoys all the finest qualities known to Strawberry plants. **READ WHAT UNIVERSITY REPORT SAYS:** Quote: "Of the 29 everbearing varieties tested here last season Red Rich is by far the best. I think it is the everbearer for which we have been waiting. (Signed) Herschel L. Boll, Assistant in Pomology, Agriculture Dept., University of Illinois."

**BEARS ALL SUMMER**—gives you luscious, honey-sweet Strawberries all summer long throughout the fall until winter freeze.

**MAMMOTH PLANTS—HUGE BERRIES**, we've never seen plants so big and strong. This means disease resistant strength and enormous yields.

**PLANT BY NEW METHOD, WONDERFUL YIELDS.** Each Red Rich plant shipment carries new "Space System" planting instructions. Follow carefully and get up to a pint per plant the first year and up to a quart per plant the second. Fewer plants needed—25 plants per person is plenty.

**TOPS FOR FREEZING.** Slice one. They're red clear through. Plenty of natural sugar and a firm texture that holds shape when thawed. Wonderful winter desserts.

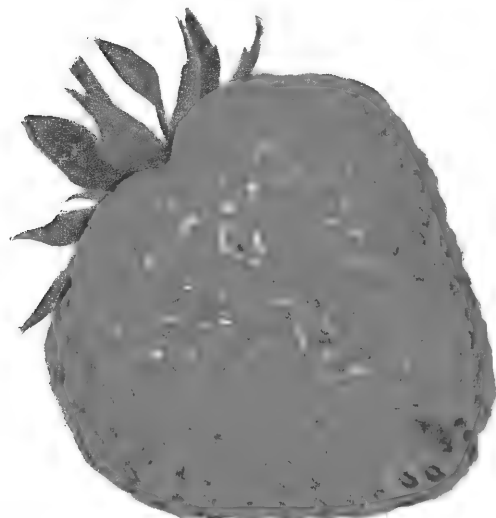
<b>12 plants</b>	.....	<b>\$ 2.95</b>
<b>25 plants</b>	.....	<b>5.00</b>
<b>50 plants</b>	.....	<b>8.50</b>
<b>100 plants</b>	.....	<b>15.00</b>
<b>250 plants</b>	.....	<b>32.50</b>
<b>500 plants</b>	.....	<b>55.00</b>
<b>Postpaid</b>		

# STRAWBERRIES • KELLY'S SELECTED

## ✓ **PREMIER** (Howard 17) (Early)

One of the most popular varieties. Bears over a long season, producing a tremendous crop every year; berries are bright scarlet-red, of excellent flavor and quality.

<b>25 plants</b>	.....	<b>\$1.35</b>	<b>250 plants</b>	.....	<b>\$ 6.85</b>
<b>50 plants</b>	.....	<b>2.25</b>	<b>500 plants</b>	.....	<b>9.95</b>
<b>100 plants</b>	.....	<b>3.50</b>	<b>1000 plants</b>	.....	<b>18.00</b>
<b>Postpaid</b>					

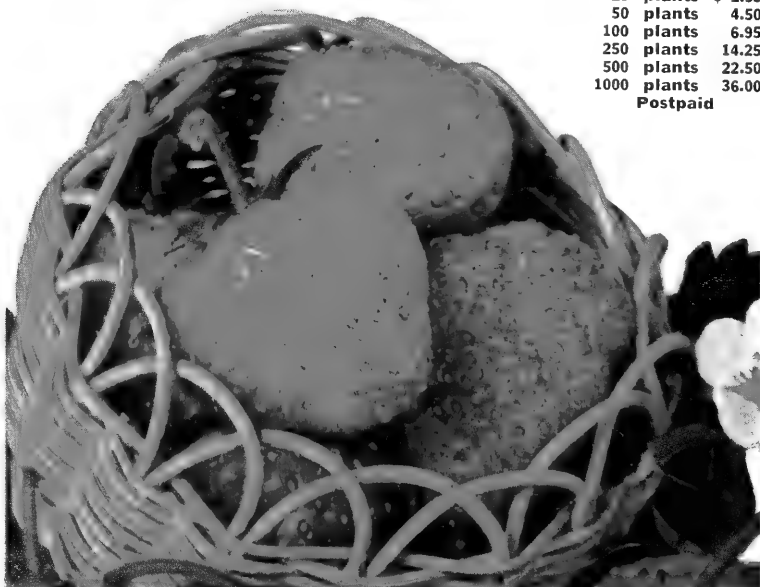


Premier

## ✓ **SUPERFECTION** NEW SENSATIONAL EVERBEARER

Will produce berries 90 days after planting. Berries round, of firm texture; dark red color all through. Will ship long distances without losing color or firmness. Bears an abundance of large berries from spring until frost. A hundred plants in your garden will produce enough berries for an average family. Good for the small gardener, as a commercial proposition, and can't be beat for its zippy, sweet flavor.

<b>25 plants</b>	<b>\$ 2.55</b>
<b>50 plants</b>	<b>4.50</b>
<b>100 plants</b>	<b>6.95</b>
<b>250 plants</b>	<b>14.25</b>
<b>500 plants</b>	<b>22.50</b>
<b>1000 plants</b>	<b>36.00</b>
<b>Postpaid</b>	



Superfection



Catskill

## ✓ Catskill (Midseason)

Plants large, very vigorous, yield very heavy crops. Berries very large, slightly irregular in shape, moderately firm, dark red but glossy and attractive, mild sub-acid and good quality.

25 plants	\$ 1.35	250 plants	\$ 6.85
50 plants	2.25	500 plants	9.95
100 plants	3.50	1000 plants	18.00

Postpaid



Sparkle

## ✓ Sparkle (Midseason-Late)

This variety originated at the New Jersey Station. It is claimed the best late variety that has been tested at the Geneva, N. Y., Experiment Station. This highest quality Strawberry ripens a week later than Premier. Recommended for freezing. The plants are vigorous and produce runners freely. Sparkle produces an excellent crop. Recommended for the New England States.

25 plants	\$1.35	250 plants	\$ 6.85
50 plants	2.25	500 plants	9.95
100 plants	3.50	1000 plants	18.00

Postpaid

# VARIETIES

Write for  
Prices on  
Larger  
Quantities



Jumbo

## ✓ EVERBEARING GEM →

The most popular and profitable everbearing variety. The bright red berries are large, good quality, ripen evenly without having green tips. Will bear some fruit this summer and a good crop in the fall. Plants hardy and vigorous growers.

25 plants	\$ 2.25
50 plants	3.75
100 plants	5.75
250 plants	11.50
500 plants	17.95
1000 plants	24.50

Postpaid

## ✓ JUMBO (Midseason)

It is deep red all the way through and full of real honey-sweet goodness. Berries are firm and solid for shipping and handling. In actual freezing tests, Jumbo rated superior, and records prove that it is one of the heaviest yielding Strawberries known. Jumbo has everything the home gardener and commercial grower demand.

25 plants	\$ 2.55
50 plants	4.50
100 plants	6.95
250 plants	14.25
500 plants	22.50
1000 plants	36.00

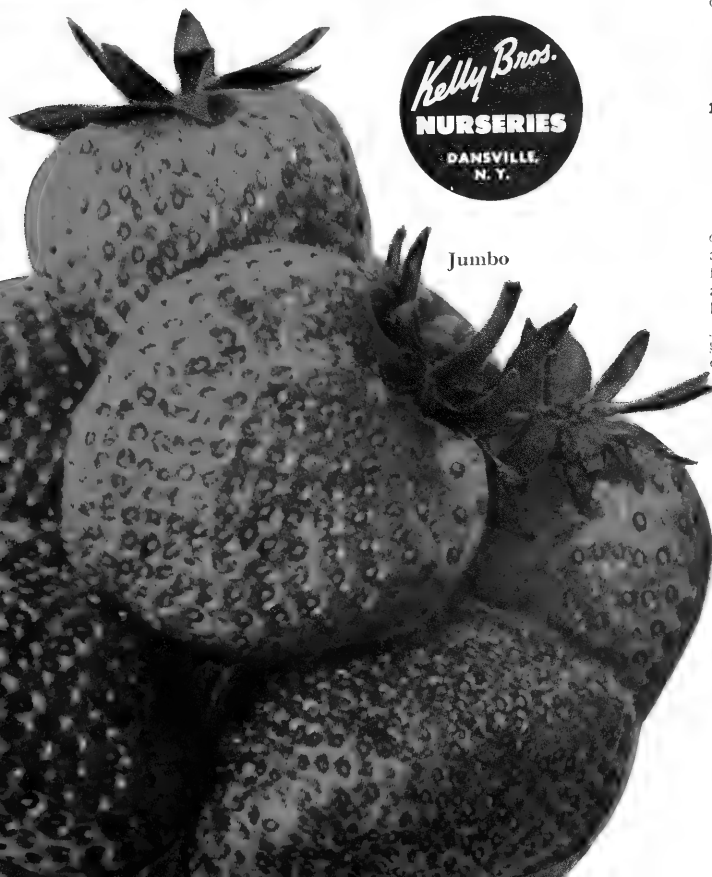
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## ✓ ROBINSON (Midseason)

The elite of all June-bearing varieties of Strawberries. Robinson is a heavy yielder and more uniform in size than any other June-bearing variety. Ripens 3 to 4 days after Premier.

25 plants	\$ 1.35
50 plants	2.25
100 plants	3.50
250 plants	6.85
500 plants	9.95
1000 plants	18.00

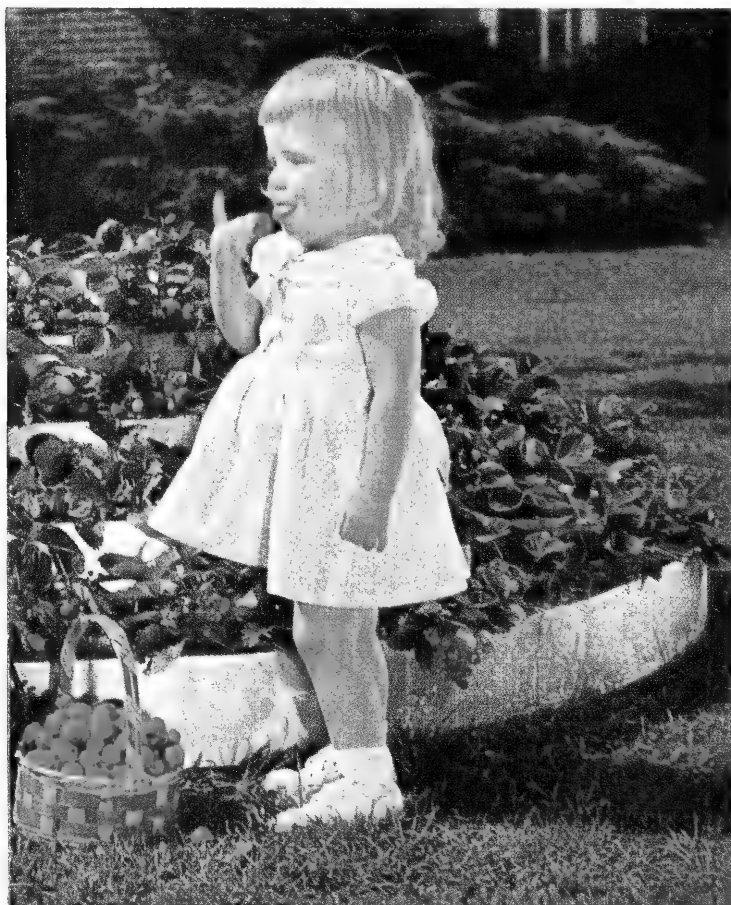
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# GROW STRAWBERRIES The PYRAMID WAY

TAKES LITTLE ROOM - AVAILABLE IN TWO SIZES



## 50-PLANT PYRAMID

Use one-third the space used in conventional garden. Is 6 ft. in diameter with 4 terraces and the collar. Made of heavy gauge aluminum, will not rust or corrode. Harvest Strawberries from June until fall. Perfect for Strawberries, perennials and flowers of all kinds.

**Pyramid Garden without plants, \$9.95.**

**With 50 Red Rich Strawberry plants, \$18.45.**

**With 50 Superfection Strawberry plants, \$14.25, postpaid.**

## 25-PLANT PYRAMID

Same as above with 3 terraces and collar, 4½ ft. in diameter.

**Pyramid Garden without plants, \$7.95.**

**With 25 Red Rich Strawberry plants, \$12.95.**

**With 25 Superfection Strawberry plants, \$10.25, Postpaid.**



## For Bigger, Finer Berries

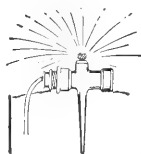
New Hormone chemical that really works wonders on Strawberries, Raspberries and Blackberries. Fruit develops larger and meatier, and it also encourages bigger crops over a longer season. Just mix powder with water and spray the open blossoms (with any ordinary sprayer). It is perfectly safe to spray the whole plant. 1-oz package makes 4 gallons. **1 oz., 50c; 3 ozs., \$1.00, postpaid.**

## Pyramid Garden Optional Accessories

Transparent Protective Cover	\$5.95
Netting	5.95
Supporting Strips for Cover or Net	3.95
Sprinkler and Attachments	4.95
Postpaid	

## COMPLETE SPRINKLER

Includes nozzle, copper tubing and hose connection at base. Runs through bed and out under bottom band to connect with garden hose.

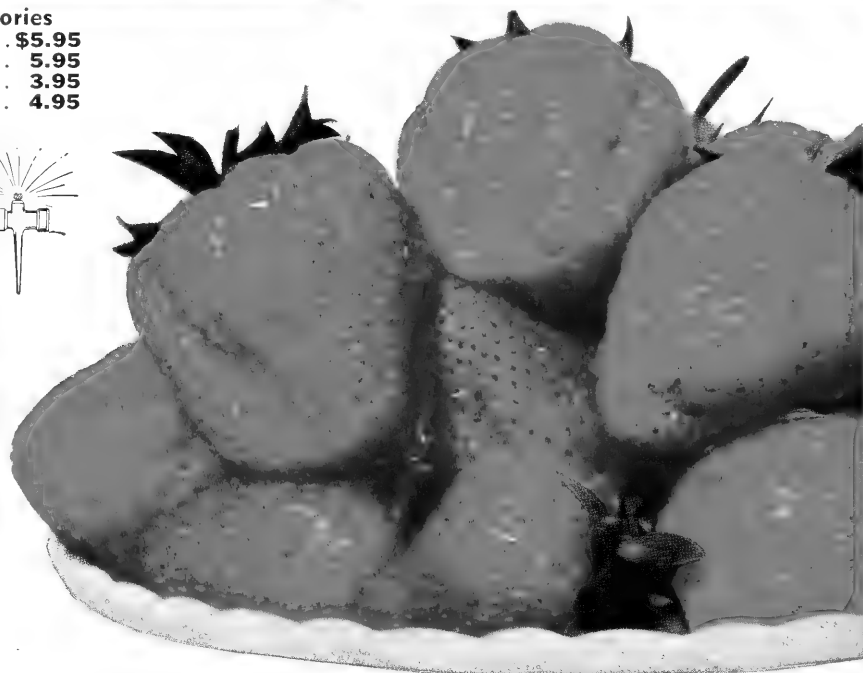


## EMPIRE

(Midseason and Late)

A great new variety for both the home garden and roadside stand. Produces huge berries over an unusually long season. Where space is limited for the home garden, Empire will give the most fruit in the least space. Raise for fresh use only.

25 plants	\$ 1.35
50 plants	2.25
100 plants	3.50
250 plants	6.85
500 plants	9.95
1000 plants	18.00
Postpaid	



## The Effective BLUE LEAF HEDGE

A new, charming, silvery blue-green shrub. Grows anywhere, in sun or shade, dry, wet or heavy soils where other plants perish. If left untrimmed, its feathery, willowy foliage makes a beautiful, compact, dwarf hedge 3 feet high and 2 feet wide. If trimmed it makes a colorful low, formal hedge. Just the thing for low edgings, around beds or along walks. Single specimens are delightful in the rock gardens. Plant 1 foot apart.

	Postpaid	10	25	50	100
12-18 inches		\$3.95	\$ 8.75	\$14.95	\$27.00
18-24 inches		4.95	11.25	18.95	35.00

## BRIDAL WREATH -Spirea Van Houttei

One of the best known shrubs of America. Exceptionally hardy and will grow in either sun or shade. Attains a natural height of 5-6 ft. and is completely covered with clusters of small white flowers in June. Can be trimmed any time during the summer. Plant 3 feet apart for an informal hedge.

	10	25	50	100
12-18 inches	\$3.75	\$ 8.75	\$14.95	\$24.95

## CHINESE ELM

For Any Size Hedge  
Extremely Hardy—Rapid Grower

This is America's fastest growing hedge, making a good showing in just a few months. It is the first to leaf out in the spring and one of the last to shed in late fall. You can trim to any desired height from 3 to 10 feet, as a hedge or tall screen. The more you trim it the more dense and compact it becomes. We recommend that after planting, you cut off nearly all the top, leaving only 3 to 4 inches above the ground. Plant 8 inches apart. 18 to 24 in., 12 for \$11.25; 25 for \$22.25; 50 for \$42.50; 100 for \$82.50, postpaid.

## AMUR RIVER PRIVET

Hardy Everywhere — They Withstand The Severest Winters

Best for northeastern conditions. Will grow 10 feet in height but may be pruned to any height and sheared to desired form. Branches are upright, foliage oval or oblong; can be made very dense by pruning. Resembling California Privet in growth. Very hardy and almost an evergreen, holding its green leaves almost all winter. Plant 9 to 12 inches apart.

	25	50	100
12-18 inches	\$4.75	\$ 9.00	\$17.00
18-24 inches	5.50	10.50	19.95

## BUSH HONEYSUCKLE -Lonicera tatarica

Very hardy, growing in the poorest soil. Flowers freely in May and June with fragrant pink flowers, followed by red berries in the fall that are attractive to birds. Rapid growing, attaining a height of 8-10 ft. and is ideal for specimen planting, hedging or screening purposes. 12-18 inches, 10 for \$3.95; 25 for \$8.25; 50 for \$14.95; 100 for \$24.95, postpaid.

## GREEN LEAF BARBERRY THUNBERGI

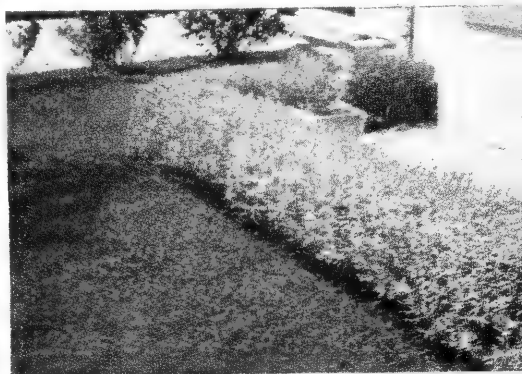
Best all-purpose hedge of marked excellence because of its bright green foliage, changing to brilliant colors in the fall. Has bright scarlet berries throughout the winter. Dwarf and regular spreading in habit. Grows well in shade, used extensively in landscape work. Very hardy and has never been known to winter-kill. It bears and shears well and makes a dense hedge.

	10	25	50	100
12-18 in., 2-yr. seedlings	\$2.50	\$5.50	\$10.00	\$18.50
18-24 in., 2-yr. seedlings	3.00	6.75	12.50	23.00

## MIDGET HEDGE -Teucrium Chamaedrys

A low growing hedge suitable for edgings or growing in front of a wall. Resembles dwarf Boxwood, holding its leaves 10 months of the year. Grows 10-15 inches but can be sheared at any height lower than that. Hardy and thrives in most locations. Should be planted 6 inches apart for a dense hedge. 10 for \$3.95; 25 for \$8.75; 50 for \$14.95; 100 for \$24.95, postpaid.

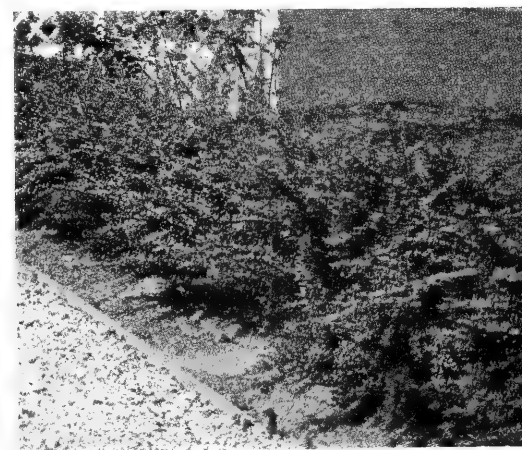
Red Leaf Barberry



Blue Leaf Hedge



Amur River Privet



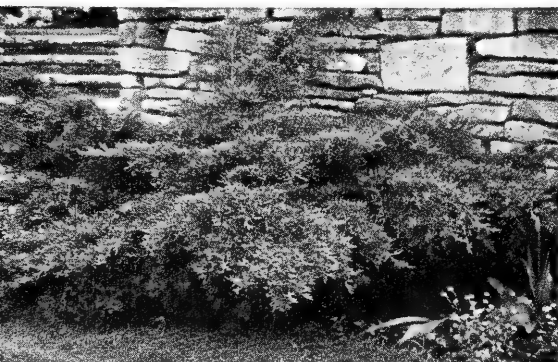
Green Leaf Barberry

## RED LEAF BARBERRY

Very popular for specimen grouping and for edging taller plantings of shrubs or evergreens. Glossy purplish red leaves. Makes a brilliant colorful hedge. Plant 12 to 15 in. apart.

	10	25	50	100
15-18 in., 2-yr. seedlings	\$4.95	\$ 9.95	\$18.75	\$35.00
18-24 in., 3-yr. seedlings	5.95	13.75	23.95	45.00
18-24 in., 3-yr., heavy transplants	7.75	18.70	33.95	62.50

# Evergreens for Beauty

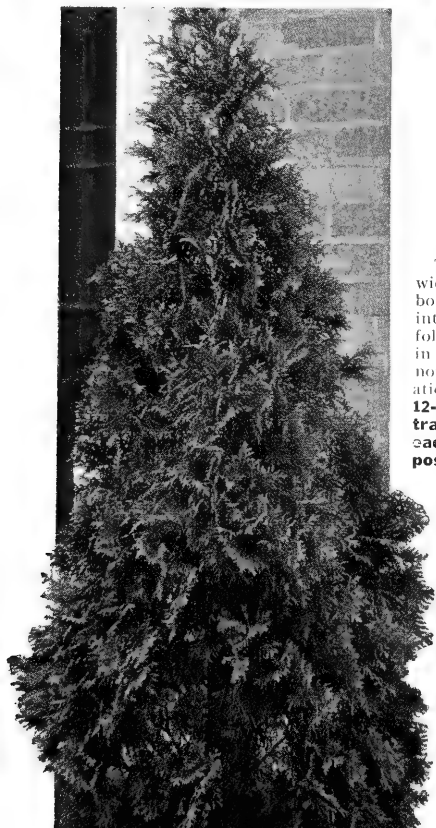


## SPREADING PFITZER'S JUNIPER

This evergreen naturally grows in a low, wide spreading habit. It will stand considerable shade and crowding, which makes it a favorite for foundation and informal plantings. If kept untrimmed, will spread 4 to 5 feet. Can be kept low to the ground by trimming. **10-15 in., heavy transplants, \$1.75 each; 2 for \$3.25, postpaid.**

## PYRAMIDAL ARBOR-VITAE

On account of its rapid growth, its bright green color, its shapely even pyramidal habit and ease of trimming, this evergreen ranks among the leading ones for the Eastern United States. Will grow 15 feet tall but seldom over 2 feet in diameter. May be freely cut and trimmed and thereby kept within any bounds necessary. **12-18 in., heavy transplants, \$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.90, postpaid.**



## PURPLE SPREADING ANDORRA JUNIPER

Low and spreading, seldom reaching more than 15 to 18 inches in height, but will spread out for several feet. Particularly desirable because of the gray-green summer color and the pinkish fall and winter color. Especially desirable for planting in groups or as a border to taller trees or for covering banks. **9-12 in., heavy transplants, \$1.50 each; 2 for \$2.90, postpaid.**



## GLOBE ARBOR-VITAE

A natural globe-shaped evergreen. Has broad fan-shaped leaflets. It is dwarf in its habit of growth, usually not growing over 3 feet tall or 3 feet in diameter. Fine for doorway and foundation planting or for formal designs, tubs and urns. **8-10 in., heavy transplants, \$1.50 each; 2 for \$2.90, postpaid.**

## TAXUS CAPITATA

(Upright Japanese Yew.) The normal habit of this Yew is a pyramidal form, broad at the base and tapering to the top of the tree. A rapid growing tree, so can be trimmed back at least twice during the summer. **15-24 in. transplants, \$2.50 each; 2 for \$4.75, postpaid.**

## HICKS' YEW

### TAXUS HICKSI

A narrow, upright Taxus with vertical branches. Can be kept trimmed to a desired shape and height. It has rich, dark, glossy green color, making it very popular. Tree resistant to extremes of heat and drought.

**12-18 inch, heavy transplants, \$1.75 each; 2 for \$3.25, postpaid.**

## SPREADING JAPANESE YEW (TAXUS CUSPIDATA)

This evergreen usually grows more wide than tall. Branches out from the bottom with several stems, developing into a bush form. Rich, dark green foliage with numerous crimson berries in the fall. Does well in sunny and northern exposures. Fine for foundation plantings. **12-18 in., heavy transplants \$1.75 each; 2 for \$3.25, postpaid.**

Spreading Japanese Yew

Hicks' Yew



Japanese Upright Yew



# SENSATIONAL MORaine LOCUST

(Plant Pat. No. 836)

## Fast Growing Shade Tree

It gives us great pleasure to offer this sensational, new shade tree, because we believe the Moraine Locust so perfectly fills the needs of today. For the many new homes which have no shade trees whatever, it will provide good shade quicker than any tree we know of, and is superior in many ways to other fast growing trees, and it is easy to transplant.

## Grows Anywhere — Long-Lived — Seedless

The Moraine Locust is a hardy, drought-resistant tree that grows successfully on a wide range of soils. It will withstand the same extremes in temperatures as the common Honey Locust and is as long-lived. Because the Moraine Locust is sterile, there are no unsightly seed pods to clutter up the lawn, non-fruiting habit also makes for better foliage.

## Beneficial to Lawns

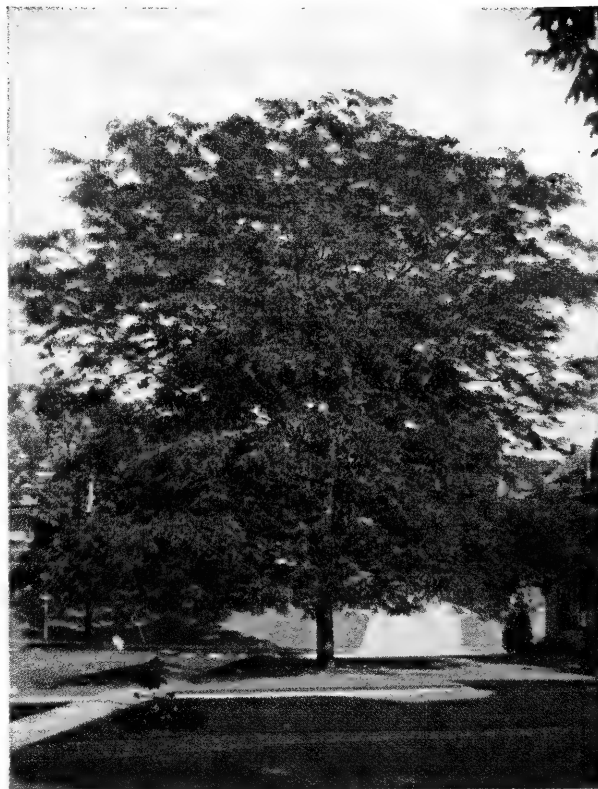
The Moraine Locust forms a large, beautifully shaped head, similar in appearance to the American Elm. The finely cut foliage allows enough light to filter through to promote excellent growth of lawns, yet provides shade dense enough to discourage growth of crab grass. Whether your need is for good shade quickly, or to replace undesirable trees, we believe you will agree the Moraine Locust is the answer. Try a planting this spring. Grows to a height of 25 to 40 ft. **5-6 ft., \$6.00 each.**

# ALMEY CRAB

The Flowering Crab with dollar-size blooms of a rich, glistening, fiery crimson. White markings at base of each petal give effect of a five-sided star. When in bloom, from a distance, looks like a mass of flame. Blooms young. The most beautiful Flowering Crab tree in America. **4-5 ft., \$3.45 each; 2 for \$7.50. 3-4 ft., \$2.50 each; 2 for \$4.75.**



Famous  
Almey Crab



Majestic Moraine Locust



# NIOBE WEeping WILLOW

## Golden Yellow Bark

A graceful weeping tree for lawn or beside a rock wall, for planting near pools, banks or streams. Has golden yellow bark, narrow green leaves, silvery beneath, and long, drooping branches. **4-5 ft., \$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.75. 5-6 ft. \$2.25 each; 2 for \$4.25. 6-8 ft. \$2.75 each; 2 for \$5.00.**





## WISCONSIN WEEPING WILLOW

There are few trees that can be used to such advantage for cheery winter effects. Grows fast, adapted to a variety of soils and uses. Is very hardy, and beautifully effective near pools, along drives and on lawns. Grows 25 to 30 feet tall.

	Each	3 for	5 for	10 for
4-5 ft. ....	\$1.50	\$3.50	\$ 6.00	\$ 9.00
5-6 ft. ....	2.00	5.50	8.50	14.00
6-8 ft. ....	2.50	6.50	11.00	19.00



## RED-FLOWERING CRAB

(*Malus Floribunda*)

This small tree is round-topped with single, carmine buds that change to pink and then white. Very heavy bloomer with small blood-red fruits, which can be used for jells. Will stand severe winters and drought. 15 to 20 feet at maturity. **4-5 ft., \$2.50; 2 for \$4.75, postpaid.**

*1955 - Our 75th Anniversary*



## PURPLE FRINGE or Smoke Tree

### SOMETHING TO RAVE ABOUT

The One and Only Cloud-Like Foliage Tree

That Looks Like a Volume of Smoke

A Worth-While Addition to the Garden

A tree much admired for its curious fringe or hair-like flowers that cover the whole surface of the plant. Handsome foliage adds its share of beauty. Likes plenty of sunshine and light, well drained soil. Grows to a height of 10 to 12 ft., its spreading habit requires considerable space. Especially desirable as a specimen tree.

	Each	2 for
18-24 in. ....	\$1.50	\$2.75
2- 3 ft. ....	2.00	3.75
3- 4 ft. Tree Form	3.75	

Postpaid

## RED JAPANESE MAPLE

Grows no taller than 8 to 10 feet. Leaves a startling crimson all summer. Makes an excellent specimen for side yard or in formal garden. Has best color when in full sun, but will tolerate moderate shade. Trees moss balled. **1-1 1/2 ft., \$6.50, postpaid.**

## TREE WISTERIA

No more lovely sight can be imagined than a Tree Wisteria in bloom. The purplish blue flowers completely cover the tree during May, transforming it into a sheer beauty. On the lawn they develop into beautiful specimens, increasing in beauty and dignity each successive season. Can be kept trimmed to a height of 6 to 8 feet.

**Grafted, Sure-to-Bloom, Balled in Peat, 3-4 ft., \$4.95 each, postpaid.**



2400 Broadbridge Ave.,  
Kelly Brothers Nurseries, Inc., Stratford, Conn.  
Danville, N. Y.

Gentlemen:

The Apple trees I ordered last year and my Pussy Willow tree look very attractive this spring.

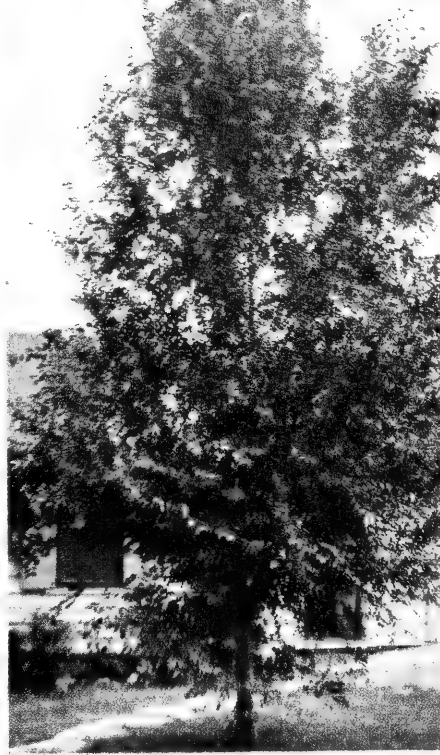
I could not do better elsewhere for such trees.

Yours truly, MRS. L. PITTS



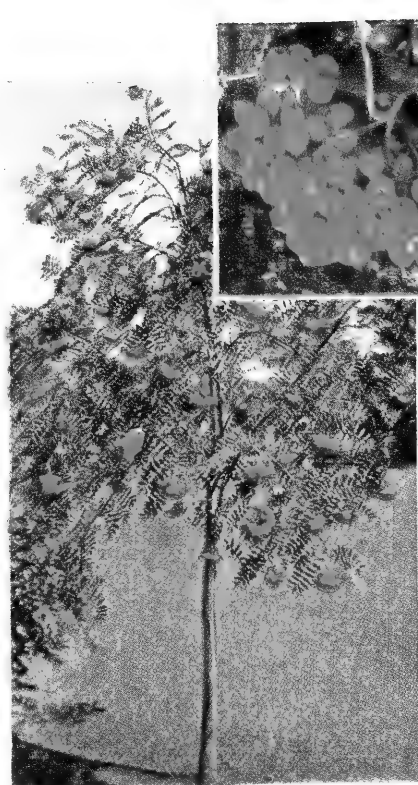
### GOLDEN CHAIN TREE

No picture can do justice to this rare, low growing tree. Its long clusters of pure golden yellow are similar in form to the well known Wisteria, and often reach 18 inches in length, as many as 6 or 8 clusters on a small twig. Does well in either partial shade or full sun. A show plant all season, with its decorative green bark and large, clover-like leaves. **4-5 ft., \$4.75 each, postpaid.**



### CHINESE ELM

A very rapid grower, growing to a height of 30 to 40 ft., with small dense foliage. Excellent for tall hedge or windbreak. Makes remarkable shade in five short years. A wide spreading tree with slender limbs and drooping twigs. **6-8 ft., \$3.25 each. 8-10 ft., \$4.25 each.**



### European MOUNTAIN ASH

Much more satisfactory than the native species, since it fruits more prolifically and has more compact habit. Large flat clusters of white flowers in the spring. Clusters of flashy, orange-red berries all over the tree in summer and fall. Deep green, clean foliage perfectly implements the graceful, upright habit. Grows to a height of 18 to 25 ft. with a spread of 15 ft. maximum. **5-6 ft., \$4.00 each. 4-5 ft., \$3.50 each.**

### ELEYI PURPLE LEAF CRAB

The tree is hidden in the spring by masses of wine-red blossoms. An outstanding specimen, with handsome bronze foliage turning to bright red in the fall. Attractive deep red fruits persist into the winter. The fruit makes a brilliant distinctive jelly. Tree grows to about 10 to 12 ft. tall and makes an ideal ornamental lawn tree. **4-5 ft., \$2.50 each; 2 for \$4.75, postpaid.**



### Kelly's Famous White Flowering CRAB TREE

This is undoubtedly the most beautiful Flowering Crab that can be grown in the North successfully. It is an upright tree, covered with beautiful white flowers which last a long time, followed by red-skinned fruit with white flesh throughout, and lingers until fall. The fruit is excellent for canning or jellies. Tree is very hardy and disease free. Outstanding sensation for single or group planting. **3-4 ft., \$2.25 each, postpaid.**

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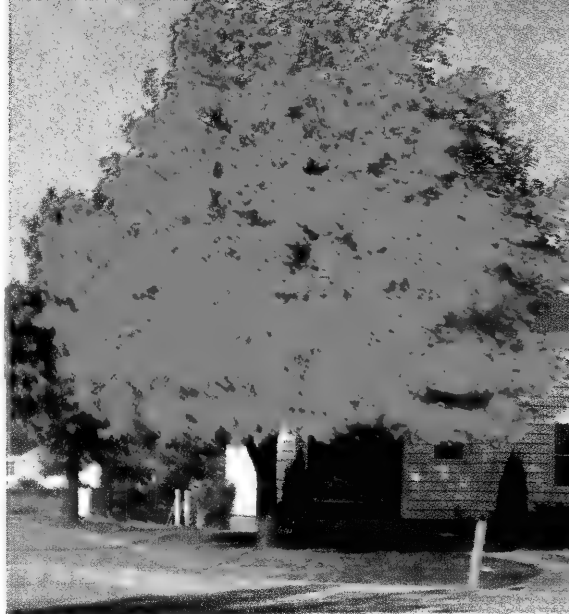
Magnolia Soulangiana

## MAGNOLIA SOULANGEANA

Fragrant, huge, Tulip-shaped flowers in early spring, rosy white inside, lively rose color outside. Leathery, deep green, waxy foliage follows the flowers, providing a restful mass of cool green for the summer. Makes an upright rounded tree growing to 12 to 14 feet. A magnificent lawn specimen, doing well in any soil having good drainage. **18-24 in., \$3.50; 2-3 ft., \$4.95; 3-4 ft., \$6.00, postpaid.**

## SUGAR MAPLE

(Hard Maple). This is the tree that has such beautiful scarlet, orange and yellow foliage in the fall. It is a native to many sections and is the source of the delectable Maple Sugar. Develops into one of the grandest of all trees. **6-8 ft., \$5.50.**



Actual Kodachrome of the Lovely Sugar Maple as it Appears in the Fall

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# COLORFUL LAWN TREES

### Bechtel's DOUBLE FLOWERING

**CRAB.** Huge, double, light pink flowers hide the branches with rare beauty in the spring. Ideal for smaller lawn. Formal type: broad-symmetrical, pyramidal style. Distinct lobed leaves. **2-3 ft., \$2.00; 3 to 4 ft., \$2.75, postpaid.**

### KWANZAN FLOWERING CHERRY.

Spectacular Flowering Cherries of Washington Tidal Basin, this one superb variety is always the most impressive. Trees bloom a year or two after transplanting. Grows 20-30 ft. tall. Double, bright rose-pink flowers completely clothe the branches in early spring. **3-4 ft., \$3.25, postpaid.**

### RIVERS' PURPLE-LEAVED BEECH.

One of the most colorful and beautiful of all trees and a mature specimen is one of the most valuable of all sorts. It is easily grown and long-lived. Leaves come out a deep maroon in the spring, turn gradually to a dark maroon-purple in summer, and in fall a rich purple-brown. Shapely in growth, rich in color, it will add that final touch of elegance to your lawn. Be sure to plant this variety as it is known to man to be one of the finest and best trees. **2-3 ft. grafted trees, \$3.50 each, postpaid.**







### Double White-Flowering Dogwood (Cornus Florida)

Has all the charm, artistry, and adaptability of the popular White Dogwood, and in addition bears double flowers. Very hardy and heavy-flowering. A small tree which grows in shade or sun and in ordinary soils, even in somewhat wet places. Typical bright red berries and red fall foliage. **3-4 ft. trees, \$2.50, postpaid.**

### RED FLOWERING DOGWOOD (Cornus Florida Rubra)

Grows to a 12-ft. tree. Everyone knows this lovely artistic tree. Produces a great profusion of large rose-red flowers in the spring; glossy red berries in the fall. A most adaptable tree; adds greatly to any landscape picture because of its fall fruit, red fall color and unique branching habit. **18-24 in., \$3.00; 2-3 ft., \$3.75, postpaid.**

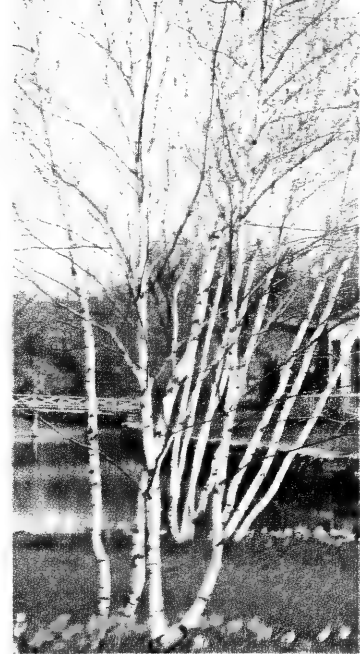
### PAUL'S SCARLET HAWTHORN.

Lovely small tree, growing about 15 ft. tall, with spreading branches. The leaves are broad, flowers a brilliant rosy red, double, in large clusters and produced in immense quantities. The fruits are scarlet. Well suited for the small yard. **4-5 ft., \$3.50, postpaid.**



### REDBUD (Judas Tree)

Live pink flowers cover every twig and branch, producing a breath-taking display early in the spring. Makes a very graceful 20-ft. tree. Large, healthy, heart-shaped leaves add a tropical cast to the landscape picture. A beautiful specimen even in the smallest yard. **3-4 ft., \$2.00, postpaid.**



### WHITE CLUMP BIRCH

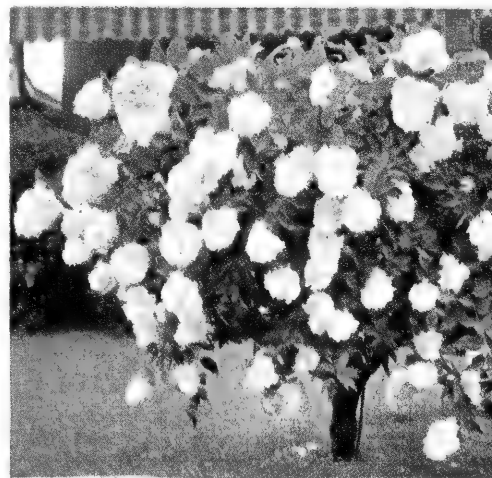
In naturalization, or as a lawn specimen, this lovely, multiple-stemmed tree is most effective. The white bark of its 3 or more trunks adds great charm to the landscape picture. Growth is gracefully upright, with horizontal branches. Reaches a height of 35 feet. **3-4 ft., \$3.00, postpaid.**

**CUT LEAF WEeping BIRCH.** Graceful, weeping branches, finely cut foliage and shimmering white bark, make this one of the most beautiful trees. Although not particular as to soil, the Cut Leaf Weeping Birch prefers a moist location and a sunny spot. Grows to 35 ft. in height. **4-5 ft., \$3.50, postpaid.**



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**TREE HYDRANGEA.** Large, pyramidal trusses of pure snow-white blossoms appear in early August. As fall approaches, they change to a luminous pink. At this stage they may be cut for all winter, dry bouquets. Blossoms measure a foot long and 6 to 8 inches wide. A low growing tree, standing not more than 4 to 6 feet in height. **2-3 ft., \$2.50; 3-4 ft., \$3.00, postpaid.**







## HOPA CRAB

From early spring until freezing weather, this tree will be a delight to you. The beautiful deep red blossoms distinguish the Hopa Crab from other varieties. Before the leaves are fully developed the whole tree bursts into bloom, being completely covered with the most magnificent fragrant red flowers. It is hard to imagine anything more beautiful. The foliage is dark green with red cast. Flowers are followed by the prettiest tiny red Apples that bejewel the tree during the summer, and these can be used for jellies. The tree is half round in shape, growing to a spread of 15 ft. and a height of from 12 to 18 ft. **4-5 ft. trees, \$2.25 each; 2 for \$4.25, postpaid.**

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### SILVER MAPLE

Most rapid grower of all Maples. A large, spreading tree which, at maturity, has a height from 60 to 70 feet. A cut leaf with a silvery cast, and also a silvery bark. Sap is good for sugar making.

4- 5 ft. ....	\$2.25
5- 6 ft. ....	2.75
6- 8 ft. ....	3.25
8-10 ft. ....	4.25



### Stately PIN OAK

For an artistic, attractive shade tree, it is one of the fastest growing of the Oak family. The foliage is rich green, deeply cut, glossy copper in late fall. Generally disease and insect free. At maturity stands 30 to 40 ft. Grows in a symmetrical pyramidal form. **5-6 ft., \$6.00 each.**



### LOMBARDY POPLAR

Good for Wind Screens

Tall, fast growing, spire-like tree. Adapted to wide range of soils. Everybody knows the striking appearance of this tall, narrow-growing tree, like a church spire. Ideal for screening, windbreaks and backgrounds. When used for these purposes, plant 5 to 6 feet apart.

	Each	10	100
4-5 ft. ....	\$0.65	\$5.50	\$40.00
5-6 ft. ....	1.00	7.50	50.00
6-8 ft. ....	1.25	9.95	65.00

**Kelly Presents-**

# Sunburst Gold\*

**A LOVELY LAWN  
TREE OF DISTINCTION**

\*Trade Marked  
Plant Patent Pending

Offered for the first time last year, this newest of shade trees. Brightest golden bronze foliage of any plant we know. Completely free of thorns and is even more resistant to insects than Common Honey Locust. Tree is well formed, symmetrical and broadly pyramidal with excellent spreading branching habit. Sunburst's brilliant coloring is limited to 8 to 10 inches of branch tips. Here is a colored plant that won't be objectionable in any landscape. Be the first to have this new plant. Supply available this year definitely limited. Grows to a height of 25 to 35 ft. **3-4 ft. trees, \$6.50, postpaid. 4-5 ft. trees, \$8.00, postpaid.**

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## Kelly's Famous NORWAY MAPLE

### The Best All Around Shade Tree

Recognized as the finest shade tree for generations. Rich indeed is the city whose inhabitants plant Norway Maple as a permanent street tree.



### Foliage Dense — Rich in Color

Its dense leaves are a rich green color, and hold on the tree longer in the fall than most Maples, without much change in color.

### Good for Specimen Plantings

A good tree for street or lawn specimen plantings, where good form and shade are needed. Reaches a height of 30-50 ft. Is resistant to storm, very clean in habit, and the leaves will withstand smoke, soot and attacks from insects.

	Each
4- 5 ft. ....	\$3.50
6- 8 ft. ....	4.50
8-10 ft. ....	6.50

## 2 NOVELTIES WORTH GROWING

### KELLY'S BEACH PLUM

↓ (*Prunus maritima*)

Ideal as a shrub—also produces delicious fruits. Bears first or second year after planting. Grows 6 to 8 feet at maturity. Hardy; does well in poor soil. Beautiful white blooms late in the spring before the leaves appear. Purple fruit, ripe in September, makes excellent jelly. **Select-ed plants, \$1.95 each, postpaid.**

### CULTIVATED ADAMS ELDERBERRY

For Wines and Jellies

The large berries and extra large fruit clusters of this new improved variety are far superior to common varieties. Grows 5 to 6 feet tall. Popular for pies and home-made wines. Beautiful as an ornamental plant. **Bearing size plants, \$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.25.**

**For commercial planting, write for prices.**





### TRUMPET VINE

(*Bignonia Radicans*)

An old favorite that will stand most severe climatic conditions. Clings to any rough surface. Long trumpet-shaped, brilliant orange-red blossoms. **85c each; 2 for \$1.60, postpaid.**

### DUTCHMAN'S PIPE

(Not Illustrated)

(*Aristolochia Siphon*)

The curious brownish pipe-shaped flowers are a delight to children, and the large heart-shaped leaves make a dense screen. Few vines are better adapted to porches or pergolas. Grafted plants. **\$2.25 each, postpaid.**



### BITTERSWEET

(*Celastrus Scandens*)

An old-fashioned winter bouquet variety. Common on the public markets around Thanksgiving time. Large clusters of orange and crimson berries are in great demand. **\$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.80, postpaid.**



### BOSTON IVY VINE

A vigorous climber that seems to thrive even under smoky city conditions. Bears a rich mass of dark green foliage. It will cling to almost any surface and its rich autumn color makes it most desirable for planting. **\$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.80, postpaid.**

### ENGLISH IVY

(*Evergreen*)

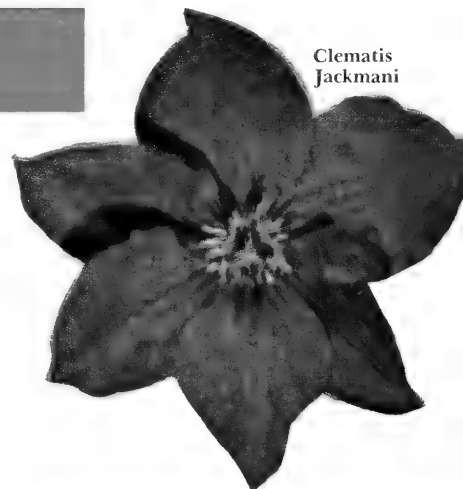
Ugly bareness becomes a spot of beauty when buildings of stone, concrete or stucco, and "hard-to-cover" slopes and banks are covered with the dense, rich, glossy evergreen foliage of English Ivy. Famous for long life. Mass effect can be created by planting 2 to 3 feet apart. **\$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.80, postpaid.**

### THE LARGE FLOWERING CLEMATIS

**JACKMANI.** Rapid grower. Large, single, purple flower. **\$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.25, postpaid.**

**VILLE DE LYON.** Velvety red color. From July to September. **\$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.25, postpaid.**

**CLEMATIS PANICULATA.** Fine white flowers. **\$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.25, postpaid.**



Clematis  
Jackmani

### LONGCLUSTER PURPLE WISTERIA

Heavy clusters of purple blooms look like giant bunches of purple Grapes hanging from the vine. Blooms in May and June. Grafted plants. Sure to bloom. **\$1.50 each; 2 for \$2.75, postpaid.**



### SILVERLACE VINE

(*Fleece Flower*)

The delicate fleece-like flower resembles the finest white lace. Blooms heavily from midsummer until fall. Grows about 2 feet the first season. **\$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.25, postpaid.**

Fireside

Pink Radiance

Charles Nye



Chris Columbus

Tangerine

Red Glow

## LARGE TYPE EXHIBITION CHRYSANTHEMUMS

**FIRESIDE.** Reddish bronze, double. Strong grower.

**PINK RADIANCE.** One of the best pinks for cut flower purposes.

**CHARLES NYE.** Buttercup-yellow.

**CHRIS COLUMBUS.** Double white, strong grower, abundance of flowers.

**TANGERINE.** Spanish-orange.

**RED GLOW.** Deep red, very double.

These beautiful flowers grow to a height of 18-24 inches, and are excellent for cutting purposes. They bloom profusely in the late summer and fall, and add a world of color to landscape plantings.

### COLLECTION

6 Plants 1 each as shown ..... \$2.25

12 Plants 2 each as shown ..... 4.35

Postpaid

*Grow as Large as a Barrel - Thousands of Lovely Blossoms*

### A Sensational Creation of the Flower Kingdom

One of the most popular garden favorites. Plant these beautiful flowers 2 to 2½ ft. apart in well drained soil. They do well in full sun or partial shade. Our Cushion Mums are hardy and will bloom from late August up to the time of severe frosts.

**BRONZE. CUSHION.** A large round plant if planted alone with hundreds of blossoms on at the same time. Requires little care, and is one of the prettiest of the Cushion Mums.

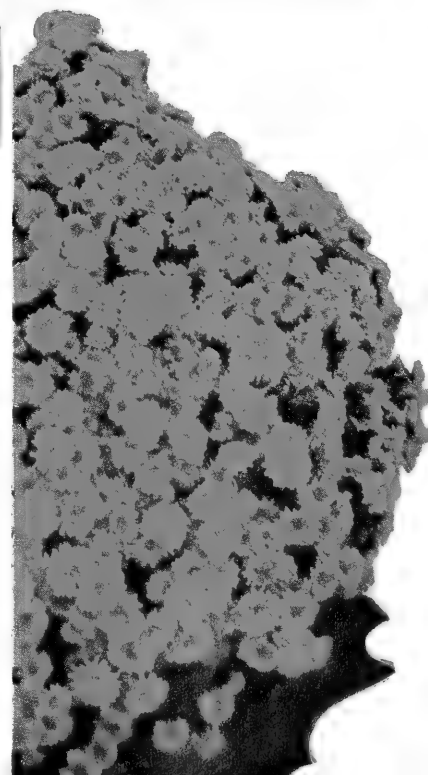
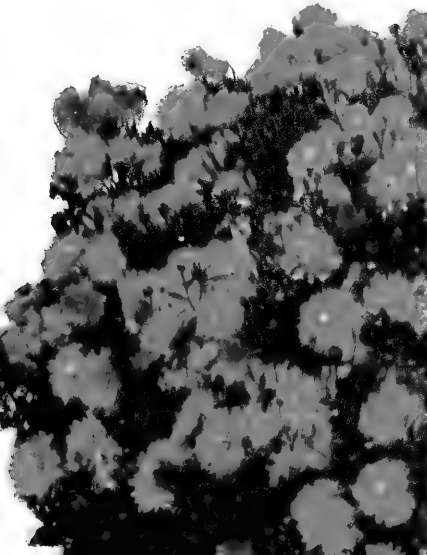
**PINK CUSHION.** It's the oldest of the Cushion Mums, but one of the best. Makes a very large plant by early fall, loaded with blooms, often hiding all the leaves when fully in bloom. It's a sight in early September till late fall.

**RED CUSHION.** Blossoms are fiery red color that blends in well with the others. It has been known to have 500 blooms and some buds on 5 months after set out. Starts to bloom in September and continues until freezing weather.

**WHITE CUSHION.** Pure white blooms. Blossoms freely, like all the other colors. You will like this color to mix with the others.

**YELLOW CUSHION.** A bright yellow and blooms earlier than other colors. A thousand blooms open at one time on a well-cared for plant is a common sight. Everyone likes a yellow Mum.

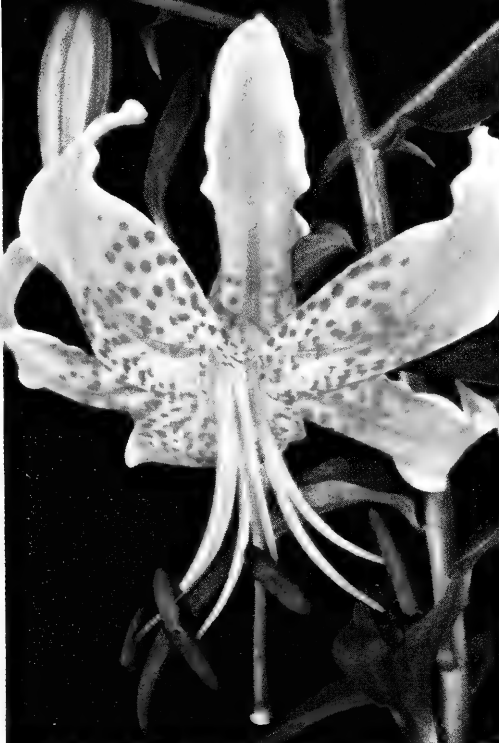
5 for \$1.95; 10 for \$3.75, postpaid.



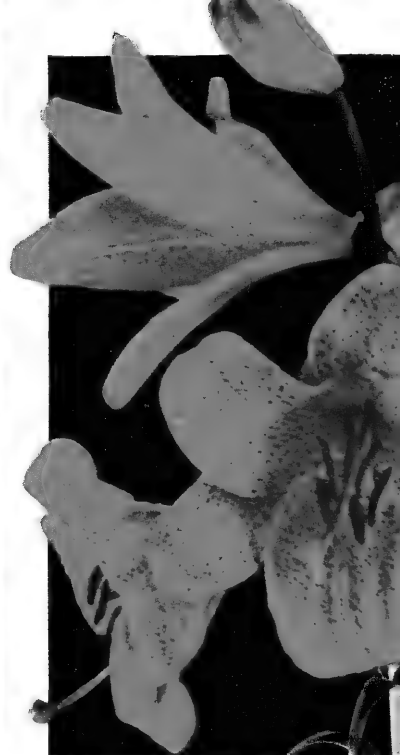




Regal Lily



Speciosum Rubrum



New Fire King

## THREE Gorgeous, Hardy LILIES For Beauty and Lawn Borders

### REGAL LILY

One of the hardiest Lilies in cultivation. Stems grow 4 to 5 feet high on which are produced gorgeous large white flowers, the center of which is flushed with yellow, shading to brown on the "ribs." The almost transparent petals have a delightful pearly tint. The Regal Lily when rightly established will produce from 15 to 20 flowers each year. **2 for \$1.00; 4 for \$1.75; 8 for \$3.45, postpaid.**

### A TRUE PINK LILY

(*Lilium speciosum rubrum*)

Wonderfully beautiful and perfectly hardy. Heads of 10 or more delicately fragrant, rose-pink blooms daintily dotted with crimson, on 3 to 4-foot plants. Excellent in the garden and for bouquets or corsages. Blooms in August. **2 for \$1.00; 4 for \$1.75; 8 for \$3.45, postpaid.**

### NEW FIRE KING LILY

The most beautiful true fiery red Lily we have ever seen. A tremendous number of large out-facing blooms flecked with black dots open over a period of 3 weeks during June and July. A clump of Fire King in bloom can be seen for a great distance. Plants with somewhat flattened wiry stems grow 3 to 4 feet. As many as 60 to 80 blooms per stem is not uncommon on established plants. A Dutch gardener noticed this new Lily in his bulb beds and later named it Fire King to describe its color. Blooming size bulbs. **\$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.25, postpaid.**

## TWO GOOD HOUSE PLANTS

### AMERICAN WONDER LEMON

A New House Plant You'll Surely Want

Covered with waxy white flowers. Several times each year, this attractive **HOUSE PLANT** will produce Lemons, sometimes weighing as much as a pound. Known as Ponderosa Lemon, this plant is different than any you have ever grown. **2-yr. fruiting size, \$1.65 each; 2 for \$3.00, postpaid.**



### GARDENIA

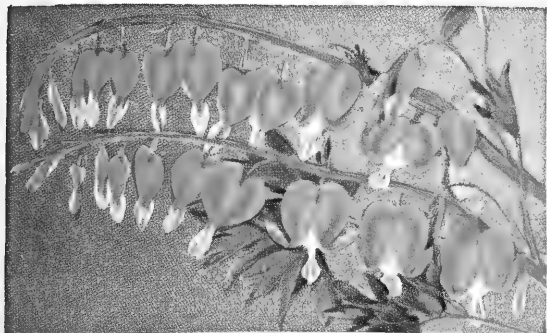
The thick glossy foliage surrounding the creamy white blossoms of the familiar Gardenia make this dwarf shrub a prize addition to your terrace or sun room. Grow it in pots and enjoy its exotic beauty all year, inside or out. Unequaled for its rich perfume. Very strong plants. **2-yr. flowering size, \$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.25, postpaid.**

### House Plant Special

**1 Fruiting Size Lemon**

**1 Flowering Size Gardenia**

**\$2.75  
Postpaid**



**Bleeding Heart**

## BLEEDING HEART

(Dicentra)

A well known favorite to all. May be used as borders, specimen plants or indoor growing. Produces pink heart-shaped flowers during May, June and July. Will do well in any well drained soil but prefers a sunny location to shade. **\$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.75.**



## ROSA RUGOSA

The rich green foliage of this plant, which ultimately grows 4 to 6 ft., is most attractive. Everblooming in its nature, large pink flowers are produced from June until September. It is unique that the large red fruits are ripening at the same time that the plant is blooming. Very hardy. It is recommended for areas near salt water.

	Each	2 for
12-18 in. ....	\$1.00	\$1.75
18-24 in. ....	1.25	2.25



## PHILADELPHUS, BELLE ETOILE

**Fragrant Star Mock Orange**

One of the finest and choicest of the Mock Oranges. Originated in France. Its star-like flowers open in Lilac-like fashion, the center showing a delicate light purplish flush. Its intense and delightful fragrance can be detected over the entire garden. Will grow about 5 ft. in height and about 4 ft. in diameter, but can be trimmed smaller. We highly recommend this plant to you. **\$1.50 each; 2 for \$2.75.**



## ALTHEA, WOODERIDGE

**Rose of Sharon**

This attractive plant makes a good companion to the Althea Coelestis shown on page 2. The gorgeous rose-pink color of the very large flaring flowers adds real color to your garden. The best and most brilliant of Pink Altheas. Its profusion of blooms is outstanding. **\$1.50 each; 2 for \$2.75.**

## 3 PEONIES for \$2.65

**1 Each of  
Pictured  
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The following prices are for strong, 3- to 5-eye plants, which will give you pleasing results. **\$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.70; 6 for \$5.40, postpaid.**

**FELIX CROUSSE.** The best red for gardens. Bright ruby-red color.

**EDULIS SUPERBA.** Dark rose-pink.

**VENUS.** Beautiful soft pink.

**FESTIVA MAXIMA.** White with crimson flecks.

**QUEEN VICTORIA.** Pure white.

**Edulis  
Superba**

**Festiva  
Maxima**

**Felix  
Crousse**

The earliest of all Peonies. Double red, free-blooming. It is the old-fashioned kind one sees in so many gardens in early spring. Very scarce. **\$1.25 each, postpaid.**



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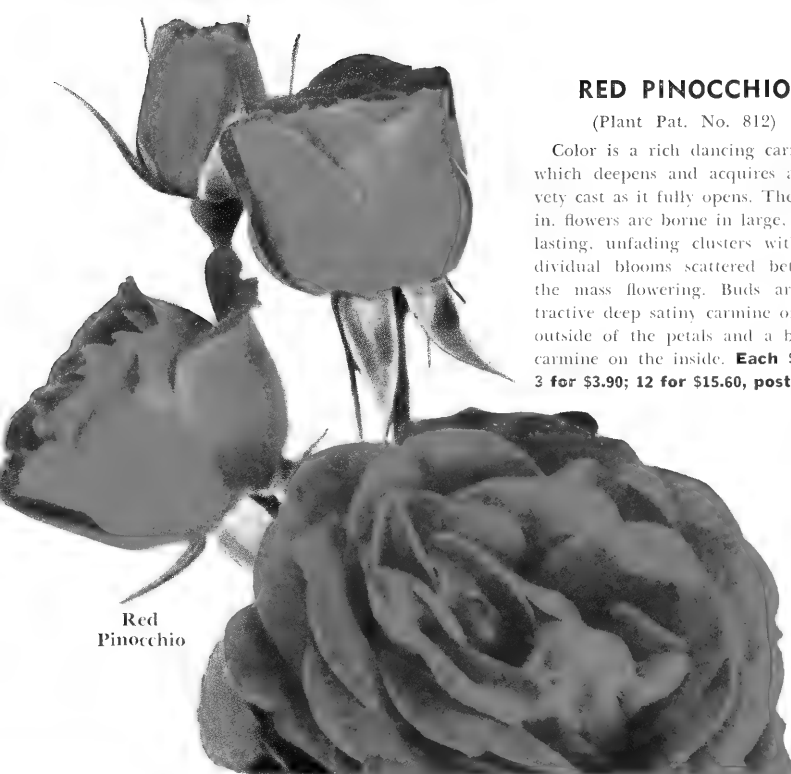
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Yellow





Red  
Pinocchio

## RED PINOCCHIO

(Plant Pat. No. 812)

Color is a rich dancing carmine, which deepens and acquires a velvety cast as it fully opens. The 3½-in. flowers are borne in large, long-lasting, unfading clusters with individual blooms scattered between the mass flowering. Buds are attractive deep satiny carmine on the outside of the petals and a bright carmine on the inside. **Each \$1.50; 3 for \$3.90; 12 for \$15.60, postpaid.**



## GOLDILOCKS

(Plant Pat. No. 672)

A true golden Floribunda. Blooms last a long time, as fresh new buds keep replenishing the over-all effect of a golden yellow mass. The buds in each of the many clusters are ovoid in shape, resembling miniature Hybrid Teas in form, and a rich golden yellow in color. Plants have a dense, well balanced habit of growth. **Each \$1.50; 3 for \$3.90; 12 for \$15.60, postpaid.**



Summer Snow

# FLORIBUNDA ROSES

They Bloom from June 'til Frost

## SUMMER SNOW

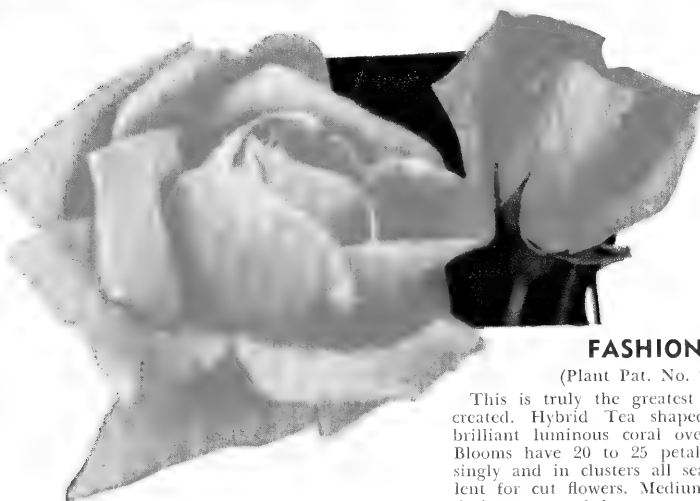
(Plant Pat. No. 416)

One of the most popular Floribundas for hedges. Starts to blossom early in the season with a magnificent display of 2-inch blooms—12 to 15 on each cluster. Then throughout the season new flowers develop as fast as the old ones fade, providing a continuous display for mass plantings or beds. **Each \$1.50; 3 for \$3.90; 12 for \$15.60, postpaid.**

## VOGUE

(Plant Pat. No. 926)

The rich cherry-coral color is only one of its outstanding features. Slow opening buds form perfect blooms that are high centered and reach from 3 to 4 inches across. Flowers are always in evidence in medium and large clusters all season long. **Each \$2.00; 3 for \$5.25; 12 for \$21.00, postpaid.**



## FASHION

(Plant Pat. No. 789)

This is truly the greatest Floribunda ever created. Hybrid Tea shaped blooms are a brilliant luminous coral overlaid with gold. Blooms have 20 to 25 petals and are borne singly and in clusters all season long. Excellent for cut flowers. Medium sized foliage is dark green and hangs on well. **Each \$2.00; 3 for \$5.25; 12 for \$21.00, postpaid.**

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## Fashionable Floribundas

### PINOCCHIO

(Plant Pat. No. 484)

Great clusters of gracefully pointed buds of rich salmon, flushed with gold at the base, open up to long-lasting blooms like Miniature Hybrid Teas. As the flowers open, they change to soft lucid pink and shade into deeper pink at the edges. The cool pink masses are refreshing in mass planting and edgings for paths, drives, beds and borders. **Each \$1.50; 3 for \$3.90; 12 for \$15.60, postpaid.**

### JIMINY CRICKET

(Plant Pat. Applied For)

An unusual new coral-rose shade, from exquisite bud to open flower, it is different. Beautifully formed flowers, full cup-shaped. It is another breath-taking new color in Floribundas. **Each \$2.50; 3 for \$6.60; 12 for \$26.40, postpaid.**

Pinocchio

Jiminy Cricket

## HEAVY FLOWERING

## Climbing Roses

**CRIMSON GLORY.** (Plant Pat. No. 736.) Imagine the magnificent Crimson Glory in the form of a Climber! Large, high-centered rich crimson color, fascinating fragrance, make this Rose outstanding in its Hybrid Tea form. Roses on strong stems cover the plant for a long period. **\$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25, postpaid.**

New Dawn Climber

**NEW DAWN.** (Pink). Perfect Hybrid Tea-like blooms all season of apple-blossom-pink, and a delicate appealing old rose fragrance. Superb for use in bouquets and arrangements. Fine long stems. **\$1.35 each; 3 for \$3.85; 6 for \$7.25, postpaid.**

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Blaze Climber





New Yorker

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The best red Rose of all time. Buds of perfect form and texture open slowly to 6-in. blooms of resplendent scarlet with dark overtones of a rich velvety hue on each of the beautiful, well shaped petals. Bush is hardy and free blooming all season long. **Each \$2.00; 3 for \$5.25; 12 for \$21.00, postpaid.**

## MOJAVE

(Plant Pat. No. 1176)

The richly colored bud is long and slender, a glowing radiant orange, highlighted with other warm tints of nasturtium-red, scarlet and vermilion. The large double flowers have about 25 petals and are pleasantly fragrant. Nearly every bloom is borne singly on a long, straight stem. **Each \$2.75; 3 for \$7.20; 12 for \$28.80, postpaid.**

Mojave



## CRIMSON GLORY

(Plant Pat. No. 105)

One of the ten most popular Roses in America. So beautiful and so dependable that it deserves a place in every Rose garden. Beautifully formed blooms of deep, vivid crimson, held proudly on vigorous bushes. So sweet and refreshing that you can't get enough of it. Voted by far the most fragrant Rose by the American Rose Society. **Each \$1.35; 3 for \$3.45; 12 for \$13.80, postpaid.**

Crimson  
Glory



## 9 Top Choice

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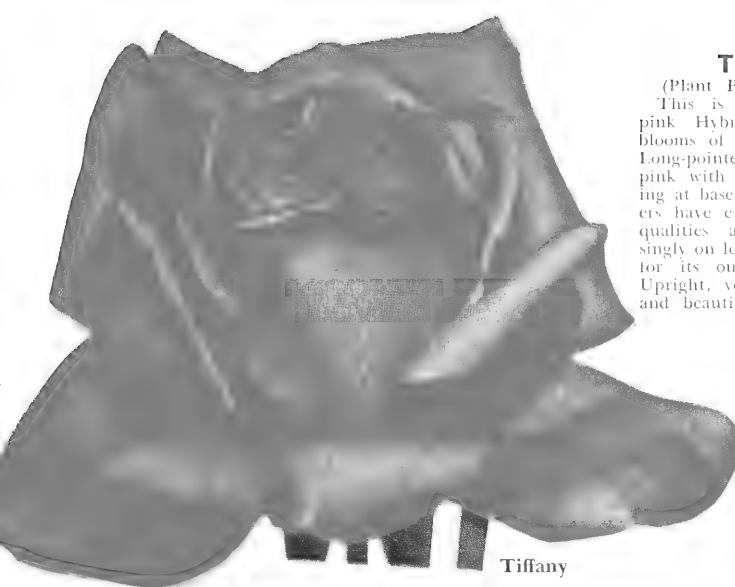
## QUEEN ELIZABETH

(Plant Pat. No. 1259)

The unusually clear, glowing blooms are a subtle blending of soft carmine-rose and dawn-pink, with deep green foliage. The first of a new class, named "Grandiflora", for its abundance of bloom combined with the qualities of the Hybrid Tea. **Each \$3.00; 3 for \$7.95; 12 for \$31.80, postpaid.**

Queen  
Elizabeth



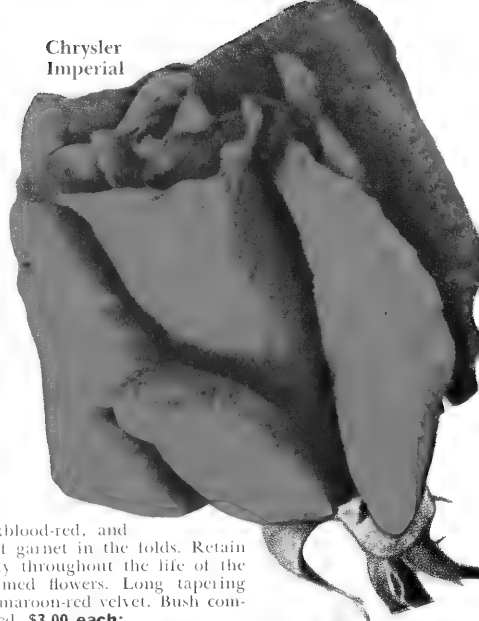


Tiffany

## TIFFANY

(Plant Pat. Applied For)  
This is a beautiful phlox-pink Hybrid Tea, producing blooms of outstanding quality. Long-pointed buds are deep pink with golden yellow shading at base of petals. The flowers have exceptional lasting qualities and are produced singly on long stems. It is noted for its outstanding fragrance. Upright, very vigorous growth and beautiful dark green foliage. **Each \$3.00; 3 for \$7.95; 12 for \$31.80, postpaid.**

## Chrysler Imperial



## CHRYSLER IMPERIAL

Has vivid, rich tones of crimson-red in the broad open petals, heightened by darker overtones of glowing oxblood-red, and the gem-like lustre of garnet in the folds. Retain their sparkling beauty throughout the life of the large beautifully formed flowers. Long tapering buds have beauty of maroon-red velvet. Bush compact and well balanced. **\$3.00 each; 3 for \$7.95; 12 for \$31.80, postpaid.**

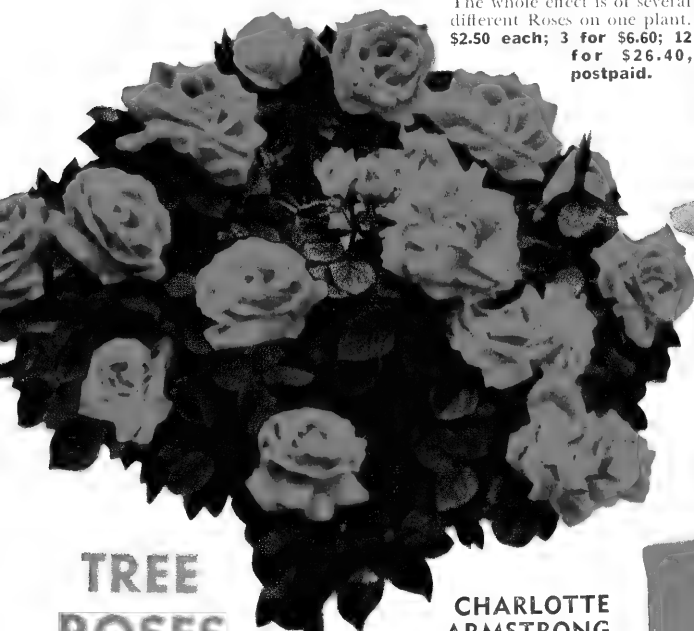
# All-America Roses

## PEACE

(Plant Pat. No. 591)

**All-America Selection.** The bud a rich golden yellow with pink markings. As flowers open, the pink seems to deepen until, as they come to their full high-crowned glory, the golden color fades first to attractive ivory, then to alabaster-white and the pink blush spreads and deepens along the edge of each petal. Plants produce many flowers at once and they can be seen in all stages.

The whole effect is of several different Roses on one plant. **\$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.60; 12 for \$26.40, postpaid.**



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Truly the aristocrat in the garden. Breath-taking loveliness that grow on straight stems from 3 to 4 ft. high. An umbrella of color.

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## CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG

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Charlotte Armstrong

Peace



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**MARY LOUISE.** Pure glistening snow-white heads, large.

**STARLIGHT.** Lavender with white star.

**ROYAL PURPLE.** Rich shaded violet, deeper eye.

**WORLD PEACE.** Pure white, large floret.

**LILLIAN.** Cameo-pink.

**ROSEA SUPERBA.** Salmon-pink, red eye.

**SAN ANTONIO.** Vivid carmine head, shaded plum-red.

**CHIEFTAIN.** Deep crimson.

**PURPLEKROME.** Deep purple.



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## THOMAS GRAFTED BLACK WALNUT

Grows in all states. Thomas produces large, flavored kernels. Tree is fast growing and produces very large nuts. A mature tree will produce from 12-36 bus. of giant nuts. Grows 25-40 ft. tall and should be planted 40 ft. apart.

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2 -3 ft. ....	2.00	3.75	



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A fast growing tree that bears within 2 to 3 years after planting. Nuts are large, with sweet, oily, nutritious kernels. Wonderful for nut cookies and cake, and those long winter evenings.

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### Hall's Honeyvine

White and gold trumpet flowers are very fragrant and remain during the entire summer. Attracts bees and humming birds. The foliage remains green in winter with some protection. Excellent cover for steep banks. Will climb on trellis or tree. Fruit is yellow; very showy in winter against green leaves. Often grows to a length of 10 to 15 feet. Plant about 3 ft. apart in staggered rows for ground cover. 75c each; 3 for \$2.10; 10 for \$6.50; 25 for \$14.95; 50 for \$24.95; 100 for \$45.00, postpaid.

### PACHYSANDRA TERMINALIS

(Japanese Spurge)

#### EVERGREEN GROUND COVER

The most popular of evergreen ground covers. It spreads rapidly, giving a finished look to an underplanting. Since it thrives in the shade, it is especially useful under dense shade trees where grass will not survive. Also good for steep bank where mowing is difficult. Very useful as a combined ground cover and root protector when planted under Rhododendrons, Azaleas, and Laurels. Pachysandra puts the finishing touch to a foundation planting. Plant four or more to one square foot. 50 for \$4.50; 100 for \$8.00; 250 for \$17.50; 500 for \$32.50; 1000 for \$59.95, postpaid.



## ROSA MULTIFLORA THE LIVING FENCE

### Controls Erosion • Provides Wild Life Refuge Adds Beauty to the Landscape

Rosa Multiflora is nothing new. It is the understock or root on which named Rose varieties are budded. Originally it was imported from Japan. It has come into prominence as a result of work done by the U. S. Department of Agriculture on erosion control in western states. Because of its fast growth and hardiness, it has also been used on large farms and estates for fences. Extensive advertising taking advantage of the name Rose, has brought the plant into big demand as a hedge for small properties. We grow the plant and want to sell it, but are zealous in our obligation to our customers in stating that we can't recommend Rosa Multiflora for small lots. We will gladly sell it to you if you want to try it, but we would not want you to be led astray by the glamorous claims that have been made for it.

### Facts About the Rosa Multiflora and Its Growth

1. Can be planted 1 foot apart. Its thorns will keep children and animals of all kinds in bounds.
2. Produces dense growth—white blossoms in June—red berries in late summer and fall.
3. Extremely hardy—does well in most all soils.
4. Extensive pruning during the growing season required to keep the hedge small.
5. Grows 8 feet or more in height and 6 to 8 feet in width if not kept trimmed.
6. The red berries will attract birds of all kinds, including pheasants and grouse.
7. Grows 2 to 3 feet in one season.
8. Ideal as a ground cover on steep banks and slopes.
9. Plant just as you would any other shrub.
10. Requires no special care. Not subject to any serious disease or insect attacks.

For a good thick hedge, the plants should be trimmed back to 6 or 8 inches to promote thick growth. You can, therefore, see there is no advantage in planting larger size plants than we offer.



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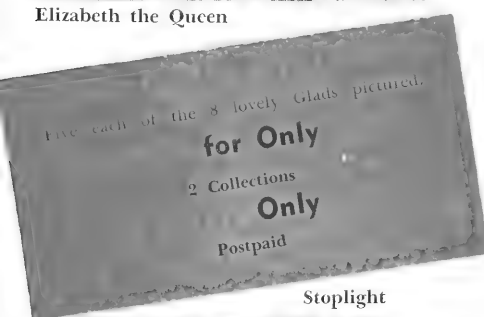
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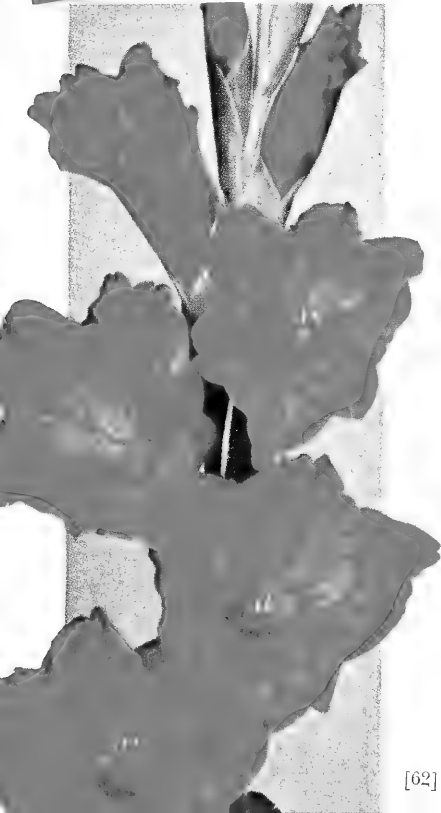




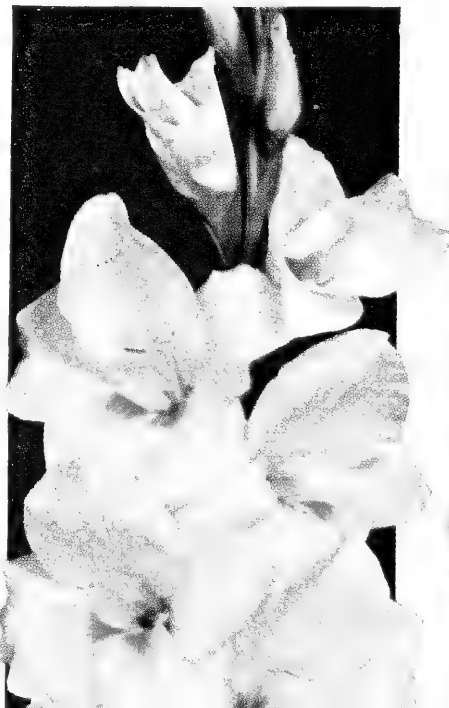
Elizabeth the Queen



Stoplight

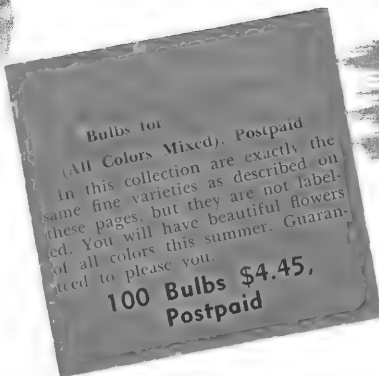


Margaret Beaton



New Europe

# Blue Ribbon



All of the Gladiolus shown on this page are prize winners at the shows. It is impossible to illustrate either the size of blossom or height of stems on this page. The fine range of color is simply beautiful. If you want a real thrill, then treat yourself to one or two collections . . . you'll never forget the satisfaction they will give at so low a cost.

## Beautiful Colors on Stately Stalks

Our Gladiolus bulbs are guaranteed to bloom and please you in every way. We offer a large size bulb that will measure 1¼ to 1½ inches across. Plant 4 to 6 inches deep and 3 to 6 inches apart in a row. Be sure to give them plenty of water before and during the blooming season. Great care is taken in selecting the varieties, and we list only the better, finer kinds.

<b>3 Bulbs</b> . . . . .	<b>\$0.40</b>
<b>12 for</b> . . . . .	<b>1.25</b>
<b>25 for</b> . . . . .	<b>2.25</b>
<b>100 for</b> . . . . .	<b>6.95</b>
<b>Postpaid</b>	

### RED

- Burma.** A rosy deep red, shading to a lighter throat.  
**Mansoor.** A very deep oxblood-red.  
**Top Score.** One of the best brilliant reds of all time.  
**Valerie.** Develops extra long spikes of scarlet-red.

### CREAM

- Leading Lady.** A Picardy sport of creamy white with no other markings.  
**Odette Samson.** A dark cream gradually growing lighter as it opens.

### LAVENDER

- Wedgewood.** A beautiful ruffled lavender with a cream throat. One of the most beautiful Gladiolus grown.

### YELLOW

- Gold Dust.** A deep yellow that is suitable for exhibition and commercial purposes.  
**Hopman's Glory.** A sunflower-yellow, somewhat ruffled.  
**Yellow Herald.** Amber-yellow with wide open and finely ruffled blossoms.

### PINK

- Pandora.** Geranium-pink with a darker throat. 8 and 10 blossoms open at a time.  
**Spic and Span.** A large ruffled pink which will grow huge flowers from small bulbs.  
**Tivoli.** A clear rose-pink, individually beautiful as well as in groups.

### VIOLET and BLUE

- Ravel.** Violet-blue with reddish brown markings. Grows on a straight tall stem.

### WHITE

- June Bells.** A pure white excellent for cutting.  
**Morning Kiss.** A snow-white with slight pink in the lower throat.  
**Snow Princess.** An older variety, but still one of the most popular whites.

### PURPLE

- Lancaster.** Clear purple with up to 12 flowers on straight stem.  
**Modern Times.** An exquisite purple, good for cutting or bouquets.

### ORANGE

- Holland's Glory.** Orange-yellow. One of the strongest growers with huge flowers.  
**New Europe.** Bright orange that mixes well in bouquets or is beautiful alone.

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Masters of loveliness. You will never match such unusual beauty in Gladiolus. Five or six of a variety planted together will bring a world of garden satisfaction seldom to be compared.

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- MARGARET BEATON.** Snow-white with a small orange-scarlet throat blotch. For years, one of the best.
- ABU HASSAN.** In a mixed bouquet the contrast of this deep, dark blue adds richness to all the others. Florists welcome it.

- YELLOW HERALD.** An early flowering clear yellow that is a beautiful addition to any garden. The spikes are tall and stout.
- NEW EUROPE.** Bright orange that mixes well in bouquets, or is beautiful alone.
- EDITH CAVELL.** Has a giant spike with 6 to 8 enormous slightly ruffled flowers of triangular shape, opening at once. Creamy white with a golden throat. An early bloomer and a good grower.
- GENERAL EISENHOWER.** This new variety has huge flowers, often 7 inches across, a rich begonia-rose. Strong, tall stems. Big and beautiful.



Edith Cavell

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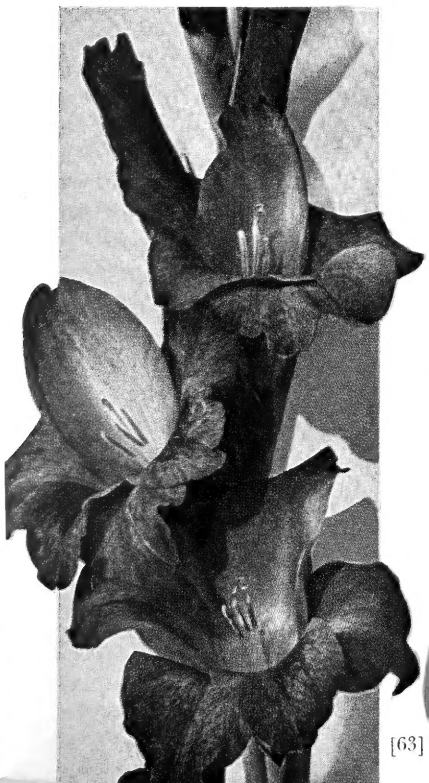
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(Big Jumbo Bulbs, 2 in. up). Many people like to purchase the largest bulbs obtainable, and true enough they will get value received. Many will produce 2 and even 3 immense spikes per bulb. If well cared for with plenty of water at blooming time, outstanding exhibition spikes can be expected. Guarantee 20 varieties or more. Not labeled.

General Eisenhower

Abu Hassan

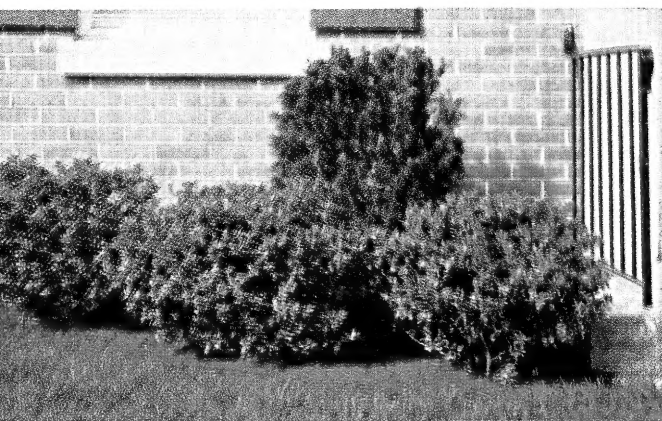
Yellow Herald







Rhododendron Planting



Ilex Convexa

## ILEX CRENATA CONVEXA

A small grower, growing four feet high and three feet across. The leaves are glossy and grow so thick that you cannot see the twigs. It is very hardy and will grow either in alkaline or acid soil, in full sun or shade. For a hedge, plant one and one-half feet apart. An evergreen that holds its leaves all winter. This blends well with other evergreens or relieves the bareness of deciduous shrubs when they have no leaves. **8-12 in., \$1.50 each; 2 for \$2.75. 12-15 in., \$1.75 each; 2 for \$3.25.**

*From Holland*

## AZALEA MOLLIS

Their flowers are lovely and add so much to any planting. We have imported these from Holland. Large blossoms, blooming in early spring. Fine bushy plants, about a foot tall. They prefer part shade, and do best in a soil mixed half and half with peat moss. The roots are very close to the surface, so a peat moss mulch should be kept around the plants after setting out. Grows to 3 ft. Keep well watered. We offer them in the following colors:

**Red, Orange, Yellow, \$2.50 each; 2 for \$4.75, postpaid.**

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### RHODODENDRON CATAWBIENSE

Grows 3-5 ft. tall. Leaves smaller than Maximum. Color of flower varies in shades of pink and rose. Grows in full sun but does best in partial or full shade.

	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>100</b>
10 to 12 in. ....	<b>\$3.00</b>	<b>\$8.75</b>	<b>\$75.00</b>

### RHODODENDRON MAXIMUM

Grows 5-6 ft. tall. Very hardy for full or partial shade. Color of flower varies from pink to white. Large clusters in June and early July.

	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>100</b>
10 to 12 in. ....	<b>\$3.00</b>	<b>\$8.75</b>	<b>\$75.00</b>

### KALMIA (Mountain Laurel)

Grows 6-8 ft. tall. Flowers vary from deep rose to pure white. Blooms from May to late June.

	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>100</b>
10 to 12 in. ....	<b>\$3.00</b>	<b>\$8.75</b>	<b>\$75.00</b>

### PLANTING AIDS

Rhododendrons and Kalmia require an acid soil ph 5.0-6.0. See page 20 for directions for making soil acid. Besides using aluminum sulphate, use plenty of leaf mold or peat moss around the roots of the plants. They do well in the shade where there is a good amount of moisture.

## EVERGREEN SHRUBS



Azalea Mollis

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